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'We need county to work with us to solve traffic congestion'

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A CHAOTIC Bank Holiday weekend of traffic jams amd illegal parking in Lyme Regis has prompted a leading councillor to call for the county and town councils to work together to find a solution.

The usual peak season traffic was hindered by a lack of car parking space, with part of Charmouth Road Car Park sectioned off for Phase IV of the coastal protection works, Cobb Gate closed for the Fossil Festival and part of Monmouth Beach reserved for those taking part in the national waterskiing races on Sunday.

Road works through Uplyme and on the A3052 also slowed down traffic, as well as scaffolding at a narrow pinch point on Church Street.

Deputy mayor and chairman of the town council's Planning and Highways, Councillor Williams said it was important for Lyme to host special events which bring in extra visitors and revenue, but the amount of traffic created "causes enormous difficulty in a town where roads were simply not built for this weight and type of traffic".

She said: "It was inevitable that the loss of car parking at Charmouth Road car park was going to have an effect of parking and traffic within Lyme over what is traditionally a very busy weekend."

Councillor Williams now hopes that Lyme's newly-elected county councillor, Daryl Turner, who also serves on the town and district councils, will be able to help find a solution to Lyme's traffic problems.

She continued: "Parking and traffic management is a real issue for Lyme. I am hoping that our new county councillor Daryl Turner will be able to persuade Dorset County Council to work with Lyme Regis Town Council to carry out a full traffic survey and to then work to put measures in place to help traffic flow, including trying to divert traffic that is passing through Lyme to alternate routes and to ensure that there is adequate signage to make it clear that Lyme is not an ideal through-route.

Ludicrous situation

"Currently, the county council advises us that it is not possible to put up signage at the entry points to Lyme warning of the narrow roads - this seems a ludicrous situation.

"The town council has been trying to work with the county council for a number of years to effect change with very little success, I am hopeful that Daryl will be able to make a difference."

Councillor Williams - whose father and former councillor Stan Williams fought his campaign on providing a solution to traffic issues when seeking election to the old borough council in the 1960s - added: "We need Dorset County Council to work more closely with the town council. We have the scaffolding on Marine Parade and the Cart Road that the county permitted without notifying the town council, and also the scaffolding erected in Church Street on the Thursday of a Bank Holiday weekend. There is clearly little understanding on the effect of the consents that are being granted by the county council and no consultation to enable Lyme Regis Town Council to raise concerns.

■ COUNCILLOR ANITA WILLIAMS: We need county to work more closely with the town

"The Phase IV works are necessary and temporary in nature and the lack of parking will inevitably cause problems. Ultimately, we will have the whole of the Charmouth Road Car Park, until then we will continue to work with the contractors to ensure that as much of the car park is freed up for busy times as is possible.

"Illegal parking is a problem in which we seem to get caught between the police and the county council. Enforcement of yellow lines is the responsibility of the county but they tell us that the police are also able to act when the parking causes an obstruction. "However, the police tell us that there has to be a very significant obstruction and, as parking on the pavements is prevalent in Lyme, generally they do

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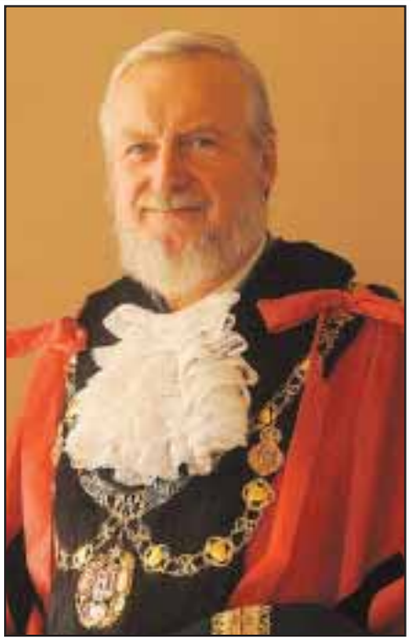
COUNCILLOR David Rickard's parents were from the West Country, but he was born in Liverpool at the end of the war. At the age of two his family moved to London where David spent his childhood. He met Anne in 1983, they married and had a son Chris. When his career as a Pollution Control Biologist with Thames Water was cut short by privatisation the family moved to West Dorset where they felt at home immediately, living the 'Good Life' with second careers as musicians. Elected Mayor of Bridport in 2011, David will be handing over to Maggie Ray at the Annual Council Meeting on May 16.



60 SECOND INTERVIEW

WHAT brought you to West Dorset?
A Ford Escort - that and losing my job, and a desire to leave the rat race.

WHAT compelled you to want to become a town councillor?
Martin and Maggie Ray - and wanting to make a difference, to bring fairness and openness to decision-making and to protect our environment for future generations
Although involved in national and local politics for 20 years, I have only been a councillor in Bridport for the last six. It doesn't sound long but I consider the rest of my life as being the training and preparation for the task.

WHAT is a mayor's week like?
There is no such thing as a typical Mayor's week, it is very varied ranging from local engagements and being Chair of the Council to representing Bridport further afield. It can be very busy, but if you enjoy it as Anne and I have done it isn't a chore.

WHAT were the highlights of your two terms as Mayor?
That's a difficult one – too many to count - but watching the Town Hall being transformed and being Mayor for its official opening was very special indeed, that and being the representative of such a great town here and all over Dorset has been such a privilege

WHAT were the lows?
The disappointment of not being invited to any Olympic events or functions and the drenching of the Town's one chance to be involved – but actually that turned out to be one of the proudest moments too, as Bridport turned out in force in atrocious weather to welcome the Torch.

WERE you surprised by the reaction to your boycott of the church service celebrating the Queen's Jubilee?
I think the reaction was caused more by the sensationalist reporting than by my decision to be true to my beliefs. It was in no way a snub to the Queen whose Jubilee I celebrated in several secular celebrations. Neither was it a boycott, the town was well represented by the Deputy Mayor and other councillors who were more appropriate envoys in this instance.

HOW would you like your time as Mayor to be remembered?
My fresh, radical and honest approach to the job, the way Anne & I worked as a team and that we were always approachable.

WILL you miss it once you hand over to Maggie Ray?
Of course, but I know it will be in safe hands.

WHAT will you do now?
Continue working to help the development of our Youth Council, develop our Rights-Respecting project and continue to support and build our Community Justice Panel restorative justice programme. I also have a key role in delivering Transition Town Bridport's contribution to the lottery funded "Communities Living Sustainably" project.
We also have a new grandson and a lot of gardening and house projects rather neglected for the last two years!

DO you come from a musical background?
Music has always been very important but what I like and play is very different to my parents' tastes that I grew up with - but it was obviously in the genes. It's been a real joy being able to have so much fun playing with Chris – and it has earned a few 'bob' for my charities.

WHAT is your earliest memory?
Eating a teaspoonful of mustard given to me by my older twin brother and sister who told me it was butter!

WHAT has life taught you?
I think that will have to be 'my book' – but for a one-liner it has to be – 'you make your own luck.'

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Daryl wins county council seat

TOWN and district councillor Daryl Turner, a former professional soldier, retained the Marshwood Vale seat on Dorset County Council for the Conservatives with an increased majority.

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Although Mr Turner did not poll so many votes as his predecessor, Colonel Geoffrey Brierley, at the last county election in 2009, he did increase the majority from 597 to 636.

Mr Turner topped the poll with 1,332 (51.65 per cent of the votes cast) with Liberal Democrat Pat Hicks, who also lives in Lyme Regis, polling 696 (26.99 per cent) in second place. Green Party candidate Chit Chong, who lives in Bridport, came third with 322 votes (12.49 per cent) with Labour's Richard Howard Nicholls in fourth place with 229 votes (8.88 per cent). In all 2,579 votes were cast by the 7,077 eligible voters in the Marshwood Vale (36.72 per cent), which includes Lyme. Charmouth, Thorncombe, Marshwood, Wootton Fitzpaine, Monkton Wyld, Whitchurch Canonicorum and a small part of West Bay).

Councillor Turner started his political life as a Liberal Democrat, winning a seat on the district council after his election to Lyme Regis Town Council.

Disillusioned by Lib Dem policies, he transferred to the Conservatives and is now well established on the district council, holding the vice-chairmanship of the Efficiency Scrutiny Committee.

■ **DARYL TURNER - increased the Tory majority in Marshwood Vale**

Roadworks added to congestion

■ **CHOCK-A-BLOCK: Parking at Horn Bridge has been a controversial issue for some time, with town councillors asking the county for double yellow lines** ***Photo by ASHLEY BALL***

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not take any action.

The effect is that our streets are blocked, pedestrians are put at risk and nobody takes any action. I raised these concerns with both the police and county council earlier in the year but made little progress.

We had the additional problem that Devon County Council chose the Thursday before the Bank Holiday weekend to erect seven day roadworks on both the A3052 and the Uplyme road to facilitate resurfacing. They had not notified the county councillor or Uplyme Parish Council.

"After many complaints the roadworks were lifted for the weekend, although there were still periods of disruption. It is very frustrating that neither county council seem to realise the effect of their actions on the towns that they serve. We have been given an assurance by Devon County Council that they will notify the parish council and town council of any future works of this nature.

"Lyme Regis Town Council is reviewing traffic flow, parking and use of the park and ride sites generally. There is no easy answer but clearly the situation that we have now is not acceptable and is causing danger and disruption all around the town.

"We will press Dorset County Council for a full traffic management survey and for implementation of solutions which, whilst they will not be popular for all, may help to avoid the gridlock and danger that blights our town."

Police commissioner returning to Lyme

POLICE and Crime Commissioner for Dorset, Martyn Underhill, is looking for members to join his third forum which will take place in Lyme Regis on Friday, May 31st.

The forum will be held at the Woodmead Halls from 5pm to 7pm, with a surgery before, between 3pm and 4.30pm, during which local residents can book 20-minute slots to discuss local policing issues.

The forum is open to any member of the community who has an interest in community safety, crime and policing. This presents the community with an opportunity to raise local issues directly with the commissioner.

Mr Underhill said: "I am committed to achieving a forum which is truly representative of the Lyme Regis area and I welcome applications from all sections of the community."

Susan Bickle, Community Engagement Officer for the commissioner added: "The forums are an ideal opportunity for members of the community to meet their Police and Crime Commissioner.

"It will give them an opportunity to have their voices heard and will actively contribute in making Dorset an even better place to live."

To express interest in becoming a forum member or to book a surgery appointment, please contact Susan Bickle, PCC Community Engagement Officer on 01202 223743 or email susan.bickle@dorset.pnn.police.uk

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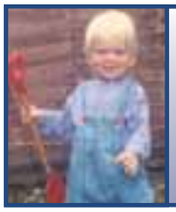

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LYME Regis Operatic Society raised £184 for their upcoming production "Calamity Jane" at a beach stall on Saturday. The stall was held in the Marine Parade shelters, with bric-a-brac, cakes and books. The show will be staged at the Marine Theatre from May 14th to 18th with tickets available at Fortnam, Smith & Banwell estate agents office on Broad Street.

Fossil collector hands over looted remains

THE owner of a Charmouth fossil shop is among those who have had to hand over looted Mongolian fossil remains to be returned to their homeland.

Chris Moore of Forge Fossil recently handed over a large collection of pre-historic fossils, including a tyrannosaurus bataar skeleton, to the Manhattan district attorney's office. He faces no legal proceedings in the US and the Mongolian government's criminal investigation into his activities will be ended when the fossils are back on home soil.

Mr Moore's activities were revealed in the national press after a similar fossil was seized by authorities during a raid of a New York auction house.

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■ **MEMORABLE MOMENT: Rotarian David Bettes presents Memory Boxes to Sian Smail of the Alzheimer's Society at the Lyme Regis Memory Café in Woodmead Halls**

Rotary help new memory cafe

THE Rotary Club of Lyme Regis has provided the Alzheimer's Society with five Memory Boxes, full of items from 50 or 60 years ago which help to stimulate the minds of those suffering from memory loss.

The boxes donated by the Rotarians will be used for the new Lyme Regis Memory Cafe, which was recently set up by LymeForward. They are filled with materials collected by Rotarians, including old newspapers, advertisements and magazines, model cars, postcards, photographs, books, music recordings and more.

The boxes were handed over to Sian Smail of the Alzheimer's Society at the recent meeting of the Lyme Regis Memory Cafe at Woodmead Halls.

Ms Smail said: "This is a tremendous contribution to our work in helping those with dementia and their carers.

"The pleasure this material will give to those who attend the Lyme Regis Memory Cafe is immeasurable, we are grateful to the Rotary Club of Lyme Regis for gathering this together and presenting it to us.

"We can use this material extensively in the Lyme Regis Memory Café. Thank you to Rotarians in Lyme Regis for this kind gift."

Preparing for A35 closure

THE A35 between Dorchester and Honiton will be closed for periods from tomorrow (Thursday, May 9th) to Sunday, May 19th.

The work, comprising of general resurfacing, including providing anti-skid surfacing, and fixing cracks and potholes in the road surface, is being carried out by Connect Road and Balfour Beatty on behalf of the Highways Agency. The road closures will also allow for general maintenance to road signs, road markings and the verges.

The road will be closed through the night and for some periods during the day, when diversion routes are expected to be particularly busy. The main diversion between Dorchester and Honiton will be signposted via the A37, A30, A3088, A303 and A30, with diversions also allowing access into Bridport and Beaminster.

The A35 will be closed during the following periods:

- Thursday, May 9th, 8pm - Friday, May 10th, 6am;
- Friday, May 10th, 8pm - Saturday, May 11th, 6am;
- Saturday, May 11th 8pm - Sunday, May 12th, 6am;
- Sunday, May 12th, 8pm - Monday, May 13th, 3.30pm;
- Monday, May 13th, 8pm - Tuesday, May 14th, 3.30pm;
- Tuesday, May 14th, 8pm - Wednesday, May 15th, 3.30pm;
- Wednesday, May 15th, 8pm - Thursday, May 16th, 3.30pm;
- Thursday, May 16th, 8pm - Friday, May 17th, 6am;
- Friday, May 17th, 8pm - Saturday, May 18th, 6am;
- Saturday, May 18th, 8pm - Sunday, May 19th, 6am.

Access will be maintained for emergency services at all times and access for residents of properties in the road works area will be maintained in one direction only - marshals will direct vehicles. Vehicles joining the A35 on side roads will be directed around the works.

Bus routes serving Lyme Regis and the surrounding areas will be affected as follows:

X53 service - There will be no service between Bridport Coach Station and Charmouth in either direction betwee 10am and 3pm during the road works. The 8.38am departure from Bridport Coach Station will operate to Exeter. All other services from Poole and Weymouth will terminate at Bridport for the duration of the closure and return to Weymouth and Poole as timetabled, retaining a regular service east and south of the road works.

The 9am and 11am services from Exeter will terminate at Charmouth and will return to Exeter at 10.57am and 12.57pm, maintaining a regular service west of the roadworks.

The first afternoon bus to depart from Bridport to Exeter will leave at approximately 2.38pm and will wait for the road to open with delays of us to 20 minutes expected.

The 2.35pm service from Lyme Regis will operate to the 31 timetable to Bridport and will run later than the advertised times.

The 2.35pm X53 service from Lyme Regis to Bridport and Poole will operate to the 31 timetable to Bridport and will therefore run a few minutes behind the advertised times. Passengers requiring the 31 service are advised to catch the 31 to Bridport and change.

31 service - There will be no service between Bridport Coach Station, Charmouth and Axminster in either direction between 10am and 3pm during the road works.

The 10.02am departure from Bridport will be allowed through the roadworks and will terminate in Lyme Regis. All other service from Weymouth and Dorchester will terminate at Bridport and will return to Dorchester and Weymouth as timetabled, maintaining a regular service east and south of the roadworks.

From Axminster: The 9.14am service will operate to Bridport and Weymouth as per the timetable; the 10.14am service will terminate at Charmouth and will operate via Musbury and Rousdon.

A shuttle bus will operate between Charmouth and Lyme Regis as per the 31 timetable between 11.21am and 2.21pm. The 2.21pm shuttle bus will continue to Axminster via Rousdon and Musbury and will return as the 3.30pm from Axminster to Bridport and Weymouth.

The first bus to depart from Axminster to Weymouth after the works will be at 3.30pm.

The first bus to depart from Bridport to Axminster will leave at 3.02pm.

Blue sky for Blessing of the Boats

by Francesca Evans
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BRIGHT blue skies and sea was the setting for this year's Blessing of the Boats ceremony, held at Lyme Regis Lifeboat Station on Saturday.

The annual ceremony was led by the Reverend Jane Skinner, who welcomed a large crowd, including members of the lifeboat crew, the Mayor of Lyme Regis, Councillor Sally Holman, Mayoress Jane Whittington, town councillors and members of the Royal British Legion Lyme Regis Branch.

The service started with the hymn "Amazing Grace", accompanied by Lyme Regis Town Band, after which the Reverend Skinner spoke about the important role the sea had played in the history of Lyme Regis.

She said: "Here in Lyme Regis we cannot help but be proud of this long and full tradition of seafaring and of all the people who continue and develop it in our own day.

"Especially we are proud of those volunteers who serve as crew on our lifeboat and of those who support them, both at the station and in all the fundraising activities."

This was followed by the National Anthem and prayer by the Reverend Eric Holstock of the Baptist Church.

The audience joined in with hymn "I The Lord of Sea and Sky" followed by the lesson by the Reverend Skinner.

Her husband, the Reverend Stephen Skinner, then led a number of prayers for those who go to sea.

The Blessing of the Boats was then carried out on the slipway, followed by hymn "Eternal Father, Strong to Save" and the grace.

The Mayor, Mayoress and Councillors Daryl Turner and Chris Clipson carried wreaths to be blessed before handing them back to lifeboat crew members and chairman of the Royal British Legion, Ken Whetlor, who carried them to the harbour.

The wreaths were placed in the water for a moment's silence before the crew took them out to sea of lifeboat "Spirit of Loch Fyne".

CEREMONY IN THE SUN: Members of Lyme Regis lifeboat crew line up on the slipway and, left, prepare for the ceremony of the wreaths

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■ CIVIC GUESTS: The Mayor, Councillor Sally Holman, with Mayoress Jane Whittington and Councillor Chris Clipson and Daryl Turner

■ HANDING OVER: The wreaths are passed to sea-going crew members

■ MOMENT'S SILENCE: Wreaths are placed in the water while, below, the crew hold a minute's silence

■ CEREMONY OF THE WREATHS: Members of Lyme Regis lifeboat crew and Ken Whetlor (far right), chairman of the Royal British Legion, carry wreaths to the water

■ LEADING THE SERVICE: The Reverend Jane Skinner welcomes the crowd

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Fossil Festival packed out all weekend

By Francesca Evans
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THE Fossil Festival marquee set up at Cobb Gate in Lyme Regis was bursting at the seams over the Bank Holiday weekend, as visitors piled in to get a glimpse of the science activities inside.

This year's festival started with a secondary schools day at Thomas Hardye School in Dorchester, followed by a primary schools day in the Lyme Regis marquee.

Sponsored by Lyme Bay Holidays, children from 20 primary schools across Dorset and Devon, including those from St Michael's Primary School in Lyme Regis, had fun with a number of activities set up by the festival's exhibiting science partners, including the Natural History Museum, Plymouth University's Dinosaur Runway, the British Antarctic Survey, and Rockwatch – the national club for young geologists.

The Geological Society and Palaeontological Association were also on hand to answer questions.

The fun continued on Saturday and Sunday as the marquee was opened to the general public.

Horace the Travelling Pliosaur Cinema attracted many children, with regular performances in Cobb Gate Car Park, while the Onboard Jurassic Airline simulator ran flights to the prehistoric land of Pangaea from the Town Mill Malthouse.

A number of geological experts ran a series of talks at the Marine Theatre and in the Jubilee Pavilion on Marine Parade.

On Bank Holiday Monday the fossil fair, made up of local collectors seling their finds, continued alongside a local food and craft fair.

Festival Director Kimberly Clarke said: "It was great to see so many people of all ages completely engaged with all the hands-on activities.

"We are lucky that our science partners continue to support the festival so much. It costs them a lot to bring down their teams and all their equipment, and they are all exhausted after three days of non-stop activity.

"Inspiring the next generation of scientists makes it all worthwhile, and we are always amazed at the questions and ideas that even our very young visitors come up with – really creative and imaginative.

"Those of us on the Festival Desk spoke to lots of visitors who had never been to Lyme before, and they are all looking forward to coming back again."

■ INTRICATE WORK: St Michael's Primary pupils polish up some fossils

■ FOSSIL FUN: Children are entertained by Horace the Travelling Pliosaur and, below, students from the Woodroffe School run art activities

■ PANNING FOR GOLD: Youngsters search for something special in the sand and, below, visit the British Antarctic Survey's exhibition

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Young talent shines at May Day Fete

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LYME Regis Regatta and Carnival Committee held their annual May Day Fete on Sunday.

A total of 26 stalls were set up by local organisations and entertainment for the afternoon was provided by local youngsters, including maypole dancers from St Michael's Primary School, Lyme Regis Taekwondo Club, Lyme Regis Majorettes and Honiton Gymnastics Club.

The fete was officially opened by the Mayor of Lyme Regis, Councillor Sally Holman, accompanied by Mayoress Jane Whittington.

Chairman of the Regatta and Carnival Committee, Teresa Golesworthy, said: "It was a lovely afternoon meeting everyone after the winter. The sun shone throughout helping us to enjoy the special atmosphere of this occasion. The young people were brilliant as always."

Organisers reported a steady trade throughout the afternoon and it is expected that over £1,000 was raised for local causes.

■ FUN IN THE SUN: The Rotary Club of Lyme Regis on their stall. Left, maypole dancing and, below from left, Lyme Regis Christmas Lights Committee, Francesca Evans of Lyme Regis Football Club Committee, and supporters of Lyme Regis Skatepark Fund including Deputy Mayor Anita Williams

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Volunteer meeting ahead of Uplyme Fete

THE new organisers of Uplyme Village Fete are hosting a Volunteer Night on Thursday, May 23rd.

The meeting will be held at 7.30pm in Uplyme Village Hall and all those interested on volunteering at the fete - to be held on Saturday, June 25th - to attend to be assigned jobs.

All welcome.

Wooton annual fete

WOOTON Fitzpaine, near Charmouth, will host its annual village fete on Bank Holiday Monday, May 27th.

The fete will open at 1.30pm and will include a range of entertainment, stalls, games, a raffle, cream teas, barbecue and a licensed bar.

Entry costs £1.50 for adults, which includes entry to a prize draw, and is free for children.

In the event of poor weather, the fete will still go ahead inside th village hall and marquee.

Money raised will be split between the hall and church.

If you have a story for Lyme Regis, Uplyme or Charmouth, contact Francesca Evans on 01297 446154 or email francesca@pemedia.co.uk

Quacking fun at Bank Holiday duck race

By Francesca Evans
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A DUCK race raised £250 for the Lyme Regis Christmas Lights Fund on Bank Holiday Monday.

Following their successful fete the previous day, Lyme Regis Regatta and Carnival Committee hosted the duck race specifically for the Christmas lights, with crowds of visitors lining the River Lim to cheer on their ducks.

Town crier Alan Vian led a countdown at the race starting line on Windsor Terrace, before members of Lyme Regis lifeboat crew tipped the ducks into the water and ushered them along the course.

Results were announced at the finishing line outside Jordan Flats, with duck 136, owned by initials M.U. coming first place and winning £20. Katherine Fee came second, Daisy Baylis third and Alfie Lyons had the last duck home.

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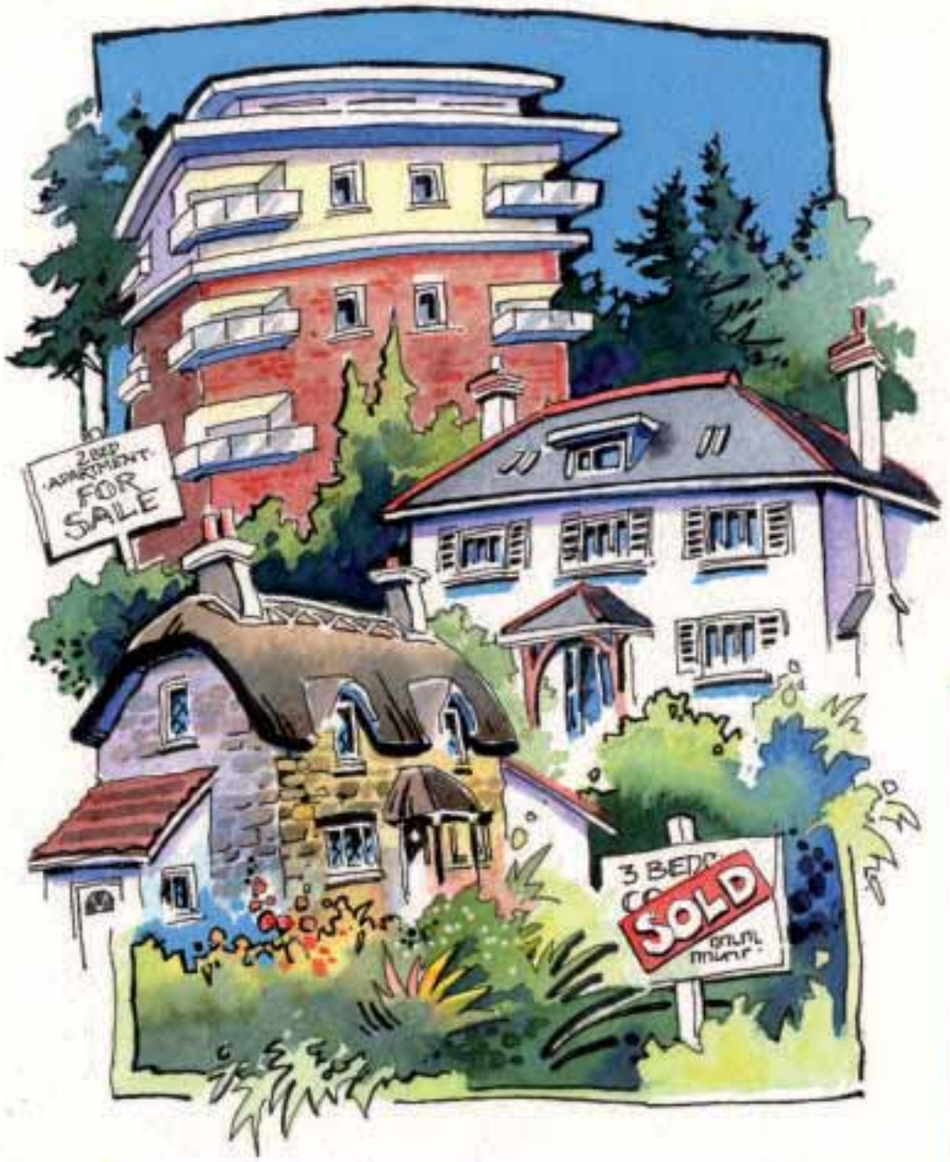

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Lifeboat rescues family cut off by tide

A FAMILY of three, cut off by the high tide, were rescued on Monday evening by Lyme Regis lifeboat crew.

Neil Everett, 41, his wife Samantha and their son Matthew, six, were fossil hunting on the beach at Church Cliff, east of the town, when they realised they were stranded.

Mr Everett called Portland Coastguard who alerted the lifeboat.

The family, from Cavalier Way, Yeovil, were picked up by the lifeboat and taken to the safety of the harbour. All were safe and well.

Mr Everett said: "We were really enjoying ourselves until I realised the tide was coming in, so I rang the coastguard for assistance. We were very pleased to see the lifeboat."

Lyme Regis Coastguards warned: "Always check the weather and tidal conditions before you set out so that you can prepare accordingly. Consider whether you could become cut off and do not take risks.

"This family, who were visiting for the day to hunt for fossils, phoned the coastguard as soon as they knew they were in trouble. Please do not attempt to climb cliffs as a short cut back to the top or self rescue."

● THE lifeboat crew was called out on Saturday afternoon after reports of a small day boat with engine failure off Charmouth.

The boat's engine was working well when the lifeboat arrived on scene and both fishermen aboard reported no difficulties.

The incident was recorded as a false alarm with good intent.

● Lyme Regis Coastguards attending the RNLI Blessing of the Boats ceremony in Lyme Regis on Sunday helped an injured waterskier being brought ashore.

The skier, taking part in the national waterskiing races being held in the bay, was attended by a paramedic and the powerboat crew until an ambulance arrived.

The Lyme officers kept Portland coastguard control room informed throughout the incident on Sunday afternoon.

■ TIDE RESCUE: The Everett family arrive safely back on shore after being rescued by the lifeboat when they were cut off by the tide

Broken down bus blocks road

■ TRAFFIC coming through Lyme Regis had to be dverted last week after a coach broke down on the tight corner of Church Street. The Highcliffe Coach Holidays bus blocked Church Street outside the Guildhall for several hours, with traffic having to be diverted around Coombe Street and Monmouth Street, until a mechanic arrived on the scene and fixed the problem.

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It's joined up government we want

Lyme Matters

by Philip Evans

FOR those who have little interest in the mechanics of local government (and that's the majority), there is nothing more frustrating in seeing their street dug up and repaired one day, only for another gang of workmen to do the same just a few days later.

It happens all the time. During our last cold snap the people of Lyme were astonished to see the county gritting lorry spreading sand on the icy roads only for the district council mechanical sweeper to gather it all in a few hours later.

Such actions, repeated thousands of times up and down the country, led to calls for "joined-up local government".

Sometimes there is no communication between departments on a council, let alone between different authorities and utility providers. The cost to the nation must run into billions.

But this is not a Dorset disease; it's the same wherever you go. On a visit to Ireland last week our hosts bemoaned the fact that the holes in the roads were never repaired and that the services from their local councils were in dreadful decline. We may think it's bad over here. You only need to be in Ireland for a few hours to realise how tough life is there. The Irish, however, keep smiling through adversity as they have always done but few if any of them think the politicians know what they are doing.

The requirement for "joined-up thinking" among our local councils was clearly abandoned last week when that massive building site appeared on the Marine Parade with scaffolding cantilevering onto the Cart Road.

After years of argument and discussion, the ownership of various areas of the seafront was agreed last year in a tripartite agreement between the town, district and county councils.

The town council is now responsible for the Marine Parade whilst the first section of the Cart Road (lower promenade) is the responsibility of the county council as it is an adopted highway.

The builder was given permission for the scaffolding to bridge the parade but did not inform the town council and only let the traders know a few days in advance.

The county council issued a typically pathetic statement saying they were in conversation with the town council over the issue.

That was news to the town council, or least to most of their members.

We are led to believe that the scaffolding will stay in place through the summer months until November.

Town councillors would have surely attempted to have entered into negotiations with the owner of the property or their builders to have made arrangements for the work to have been carried out of season, an opportunity that no longer exists.

EVENT OF THE WEEK...

THIS is hardly an earth-shattering event for Lyme - or indeed one that matters to the town. But it matters to me greatly, so perhaps you will forgive some personal indulgement. I am a very happy man.

My eldest daughter Zoe, who used to work for the ***View from*** as a designer but now lives in Melbourne, announced her engagement to a charming young Irish man, Barry Cunningham.

Jackie and I celebrated by spending a few days in the Emerald Isle, visiting Barry's parents. Paul and Carmel Cunningham, who live in Galway, a beautiful city.

Whilst Lyme baked in summer temperatures, we endured some typical Irish weather, but the scenery was dramatic and stunning, especially when we travelled through the Connemara Mountains.

Our trip across the Irish sea was planned for several weeks ago when we celebrated our 30th wedding anniversary but we had to postpone our visit because of work commitments. I have flown in and out of Dublin many times on business but have never travelled over to the west coast before.

We were treated to some very typical Irish hospitality and thoroughly enjoyed getting together with members of the family Zoe will be marrying into.

We were sorry to miss the Bank Holiday events in Lyme, especially the Fossil Festival and May Fete, but sometimes family has to come first. This was one of those occasions (to my shame they have been rare over the years) when I was able to put family before work.

It was good to hear from Francesca, though, when we returned home that both events had been great successes.Well done to those who worked so hard to achieve that.

Election yomping paid off for Daryl

CONGRATULATIONS to Daryl Turner on winning the Marshwood Vale seat on Dorset County Council, of which Lyme is a major part, held for the past 12 years by Colonel Geoffrey Brierley.

Commiserations to those who were not successful, especially Lyme's other candidate Pat Hicks, who was standing for the Liberal Democrats.

Daryl, a member of the town council and West Dorset District Council, used to be a Lib Dem but abandoned them for the Tories when he was unhappy with their policies.

It was a brave if not controversial decision but one which has clearly paid off for the Lyme-born man who enjoyed a successful career in the Army before returning to his home town.

Daryl is now a well established Conservative member at district council level and I am sure he will soon make his mark at County Hall.

It was rumoured that he might stand down from the town council - serving on all three councils is indeed a major commitment - but I hope Daryl stays at least until the end of the current council term (2015).

He's not frightened to ask the difficult question and his experience would be sadly missed should he decide that he's not able to give enough time to the town council.

Although Daryl attracted fewer votes than his predecessor, he did increase the Tory majority in Marshwood Vale from 597 to 636. He did it by good old fashioned politicking - getting out into his patch, meeting voters and putting in a lot of foot slogging.

As my old mum used to say, everything comes to those who work hard.

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SPRING may have sprung a little late this year, but it has finally arrived at Bothen Hill Farm in Bothenhampton, where this year's new season asparagus is now being harvested. Having not surfaced until well after April 23rd - St George's Day - which traditionally marks the beginning of the season, the recent warm weather has finally brought the spears out of the soil and into Modbury Farm Shop in Burton Bradstock and Millers Farm Shop, Kilmington.

This is the third year that the local farm has been harvesting asparagus, with the tasty green spears proving incredibly popular within Bridport Farmers' Market, and as of last year, on the weekly Saturday street market. This week marks the return of Bothen Hill asparagus to the Street Market for the season, with the stall located at the junction of East and West streets, by the traffic lights.

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ART AT THE TOWN MILL

THE latest exhibition at the Town Mill in Lyme Regis, "Ways of Seeing", combines the work of Magie Luff, Gillian Jones and Felicity Brichieri-Colombi in The Courtyard Gallery.

Margaret Ettlinger-Luff, known as Magie Luff, is primarily a painter/printmaker who studied at Plymouth University Exeter gaining a BA Hons in Fine Art and a HNC in Printmaking at SCAT, Taunton.

She works in mainly acrylic, oils, mixed media and charcoal and believes strongly in the fundamental skill of drawing.

Felicity Brichieri-Colombi is an artist from an Italian and New Zealand background.

After a career as a professional concert violinist, she returned to her first love, which was painting. Inspired by colour and light, her main medium is oils, often looking at her subject, be it portrait, still life or landscape, as an abstract pattern of planes and facets, working sometimes with a palette knife as a direct way of using colours.

■ WAYS OF SEEING: Artists Magie Luff, Gillian Jones and Felicity Brichieri-Colombi are exhibiting at the Town Mill

Gillian Jones studied at SCAT and in various courses and classes over the past 20 years. Her passion for painting and drawing has been with her since childhood and is essentially part of who she is and how she expresses herself. She is also an accomplished writer and poet and has recently won an award for poetry.

The exhibition is open from 10.30am to 4.30pm daily with free admission and will run until May 15th.

■ PICTURED is Laura Boyd, whose shared exhibition with David Highet, "Through the Light", is currently open in the upstairs gallery at the Town Mill. Her paintings are inspired by holidays in Tuscany, using watercolours, inks and oils. The display is open from 10.30am to 4.30pm until May 15th.

Lyme barista competes in national semi-finals

OWNER of Lyme Regis speciality coffee house, Amid Giants & Idols, Xanne Carey, competed in the semi-finals of the UK Barista Championships recently.

Following her success at the South West regional heat, Xanne was placed 11th in the semi-finals, held at the London Coffee Festival hosted by Allegra.

Xanne's dedication to crafting beautiful coffee saw her compete against the top 20 baristas in the UK, seeing off competition from seasoned championship entrants to claim 11th place in her first year of competing.

She said: "I'm so pleased to have made it to the semi-finals! I never expected to achieve 11th place in my first year because the competition is so fierce – we're talking world champion level here!

"Those who think coffee is 'just coffee' might be surprised to discover that there are more flavour notes in a good coffee than in a good wine. This is one of the things that makes speciality coffee so interesting and worthy of the level of time and attention required to make a great cup of the black stuff."

As one of only five females to have made it through to the semi-finals, Xanne reflected on one of the key objectives of the competition – to find a role model for the speciality coffee industry.

"It can sometimes appear like a very male dominated industry, so I'm excited to be part of changing that landscape," she said.

"It's fantastic to be the second highest scoring female in the competition behind Estelle Bright, of Caravan, London."

Bright took third place in the final on Sunday, close on the heels of 2012 winner Maxwell Colonna-Dashwood, of Colonna & Smalls in Bath, who achieved 2nd place. The top spot went to former UK Barista Champion John Gordon, of Square Mile Coffee, London, who also won in 2010 and 2011.

■ NOT JUST COFFEE: Lyme Regis barista Xanne Carey was the second highest scoring female in the UK Barista Championships, coming 11th overall

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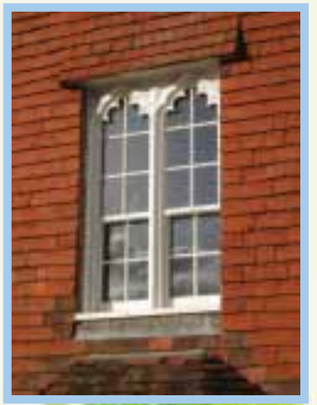

LymeLetters

Gig club pays tribute to retiring bosun

■ LYME Regis Gig Club held a social gathering last Sunday, April 28th, at the Harbour Inn (our adopted clubhouse).

There was a great atmosphere, with good food and everyone singing shanties at the end of the evening.

I had absolutely no idea, though, that a tribute to me was to be the main event! I was blown away, to say the least.

I want to say a huge thank you to all club members who were there and to those who couldn't attend for their amazing generosity.

It has been a great privilege for me to have been the bosun for the gig club for its first five years. To watch the club grow and become the success it is today has, for me, been reward enough - until now!

Lyme Regis Gig Club now has three beautiful traditional boats and a glass-fibre training gig. There is also a 15-feet skiff currently being built by Gail McGarva, which will be launched later this summer. This will be the first of two skiffs (hopefully) to be used by youngsters who want learn to row.

So, if you have rowed before, or have never been in a boat before but would like to become a gig rower, do please get in touch via the website www.lymeregisgigclub.com

Chris Douglas
(by email)

Thanks from new county councillor

■ I WOULD like to take this opportunity to thank all those that supported me on election day and, in particular, the teams of tellers and headquarters staff in Lyme Regis and Charmouth.

It was a great all round effort which helped secure a very good majority. I'm now looking forward to being your county councillor for the next four years, working in and around the Marshwood Vale.

Councillor Daryl Turner
(by email)

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B Sharp blown away by first round of festival auditions

THE first round of auditions for music group B Sharp's Big Mix Open Air Festival, to be held in Lyme Regis on July 6th, were held at The Hub youth club last Friday.

There is such a high level of interest in the event that there is not enough time for everybody to have a performing slot, so organisers are selecting those who are diverse, stand out and are exceptional musicians.

The judging panel on Friday included youth club member Sam Quick, music leaders and musicians Pete Wild and Jacques Verhaeren, and B Sharp director Fran Williams with youth club members as an audience

The panel were impressed by the sheer quality and variety of auditioning acts and were particularly pleased that many wanted to perform their own material, not just covers.

Auditioning acts ranged from six-year-old Darci Street to a dynamic hip hop/rap band from Weymouth, named Grime District, which judges believed defied the negative stereotyping of this genre of music.

Band member Aidan Starck said: " We want to bring hip hop and grime into a more public audience, as a lot of local gigs and festivals seem to overlook the genre, which is a shame as it has a huge following. We pride ourselves on only writing relevant lyrics.

"Hip hop and grime has been given a bad name over the years due to the stereotypical Gun and knife talk, and we're looking to move away from that, as it has no positive outcome for the scene.

"Getting a chance to audition for the festival has been great, because it's given us a chance to show what we can really do, without being overlooked due to the genre of music that we make.

"Being offered a spot to perform live has boosted the morale of the group a lot, as it gives us even more chance to widen our audience and show people the talents that we have to offer, and hopefully everyone will enjoy it."

B Sharp mainly works with 11-18 year olds. However, there was some confusion in the run-up to the auditions and organisers were tipped off in advance that a number of primary school-aged children wanted to audition, despite being below the minimum age. Organisers would like to apologise for any disappointment caused and, due to the interest shown by younger children, the festival will now include performing opportunities for those under 11.

One little girl who did slip through the net on Friday was six-year-old Darci Street, from Uplyme, without organisers realising her age. She belw away judges with her singing and was offered a slot for the festival.

There will be another round of auditions in June.

B Sharp are urging the town to get behind the event and to put July 6th firmly in the diary.

Director Fran Williams said: "We are planning for this day to be a mark in B Sharp's life; we have crystalised as an organisation with the fantastic support of the council. We have proved our worth in developing meaningful opportunities for young people that has the power to change lives.

"We are working closely with schools and partner organisations in the area to celebrate and showcase these achievements and we want everybody to join us. If you want to get involved or find out more please contact me."

Popular local band Papa Le Gal will be reforming for the seaside festival and Bridport band RPM will also be performing.

Young musicians are invited to join B Sharp on the regular Tuesday evening sessions, 6.30pm to 8.30pm at The Hub where they can collaborate with other musicians who will be performing as a group and writing their own material for the event.

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The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
The Cadence *9.30pm*

Sunday 12th May
The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
Smith & Moore *4-6pm*

Fri 17th & Sat 18th May
The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
UK 2013 My Les Paul Meet
8.30pm Friday, 9.30pm Saturday

Saturday 18th May
The Nags Head, LYME REGIS
Real World *9pm*
Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT
Cubana Bop plays West Side Story *8pm*
Tickets £16 adults, £15 members & concs.

Sunday 19th May
The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
Gut & Steel *4pm*

Friday 24th May
Stage Door Bar, Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS
Jazz In The Bar with Sue Hawker and Philip Clouts *8pm*
£6.50 in advance, £7.50 on the door
Bridport Arts Centre, BRIDPORT
Classic Concert: Nicholas Mulroy (Tenor) and John Reid (Piano)
11am

Saturday 25th May
The Royal Standard, LYME REGIS
The Echoes *9pm*
The Nags Head, LYME REGIS
Delta Tango 7 *9pm*
The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
Slipped Disc *9.30pm*

Sunday 26th May
The Crown Inn, BRIDPORT
Martha's Vineyard *9.30pm*

Friday 31st May
The Marine Theatre, LYME REGIS
Gerry Brown and the Mission Hall Jazz Band *8.30pm*
Tickets £10. Part of the Lyme Regis Jazz, Blues and Real Ale Weekend.

LOUISE PARKER

returns to Bridport's 115 Club

115 Club, Bridport's fastest growing Music Club & Dinner Venue, had a fabulous evening 2 Weeks ago. Steve Rodgers played a set of perfection, encompassing everything he stands for as a musician, beautiful guitar, soulful vocals, with a hint of rasp to the notes, his voice standing out from anything heard before. There is no doubt that with the release of his second album imminent, Steve is set to become the next big thing.

If you didn't make that one, you are in luck, 115 Club are showcasing one of the Jazz vocal world's finest talents this week, Thursday, May 9th, Louise Parker returns to 115 Club. In September last year, Louise, accompanied by Pianist Philip Clouts performed her own eclectic style of Jazz and Soul, the rapturous audience enjoying every moment of every note. This time, Louise is to be accompanied by Neil Burns, one of the most fabulous Jazz guitarists the UK has the fortune to herald as their own. Bringing slight hands, soulful licks and jazz combinations to accompany Louise's beautiful voice. This Thursday is set to be yet another date for the music lover's diary, pure music, great food, and just the right selection of wine to make the evening swing!

Pre-booking for dinner between 7pm and 8pm is essential, and guests should telephone on the day (between 2 and 6pm) to confirm numbers in their party, at which time they will be informed of the cover charge – anticipated at between £5 and £10 per guest. Unfortunately late-comers cannot be accommodated as dining must be completed before the music starts at about 9:00pm.

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KIT HOLMES brings sultry vocals and virtuoso guitar playing to Bridport Arts Centre

KIT Holmes will be making her debut performance at Bridport Arts Centre on Friday, May 10th at 8pm.

Kit's trademark sultry vocals and virtuoso guitar playing have wowed audiences across the UK through extensive touring with the guitar hero John Etheridge. She is now touring with her own duo, showcasing her own astounding guitar and fiddle skills. Her duo is completed by producer and guitarist, Allan Greenwood.

The press have hailed her as a new British guitar heroine. Alongside her sultry vocals, her folk, blues, roots and soul inspired sound has been winning her fans all over the country. Her sound has been described by The Observer as 'Macy Gray meets Nick Drake', and the All Music Guide said she was a 'world-class player'.

Kit has released three albums to date, all mastered at the famous Abbey Road studios. Her most recent last year, entitled Driving into the Blue, features legendary double bass player Danny Thompson, who has worked with some of the greatest names in the music business: Kate Bush, Pentangle and John Martyn.

Kit will be showcasing tracks from this and her previous albums at her Bridport debut.

BBC Radio DJs Bob Harris and Andy Kershaw have both featured Kit on their radio shows. Kit has delivered a masterclass at Paul McCartney's LIPA, performed at the Anne Frank Awards at the BBC, and played a headline show at the International Guitar Festival of Great Britain.

Bridport Arts Centre is delighted to welcome Kit to one of their Jazz Café nights. The evening promises to be one of enthralling music, with gorgeous guitar, poignant lyrics and feisty fiddle, delivered by Kit Holmes and Allan Greenwood in an energetic live performance.

For more details on Kit Holmes, visit the website: www.kitholmes.co.uk

Kit Holmes plays at Bridport Arts Centre, South Street, this Friday (May 10th) at 8pm. Tickets, cost £10/£9/£8 and are available from the Box Office on 01308 424204 or online at www.bridport-arts.com.

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The complete works of Shakespeare in 97 minutes!

WHETHER you love or loathe Britain's greatest bard, the Reduced Shakespeare Company guarantee to have audiences rolling in the aisles of Bridport's Electric Palace when they perform all 37 of Shakespeare's plays in just 97 Minutes on Sunday, May 19th.

An irreverent, fast-paced romp through the Bard's plays, The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (abridged) was London's longest-running comedy having clocked a very palpable nine years in London's West End at the Criterion Theatre! Now revised for 2013 with the same recycled jokes – just put in a different order – these madcap men in tights weave their wicked way through all of Shakespeare's Comedies, Histories and Tragedies in one wild ride that will leave you breathless and helpless with laughter.

The Reduced Shakespeare Company is a three-man comedy troupe that takes long, serious subjects and reduces them to short, sharp comedies. Since 1981, 'The Bad Boys of Abridgement' have created eight stage shows, two television specials, several failed TV pilots and numerous radio pieces – all of which have been performed, seen, heard and translated into Klingon the world over.

The company's first three shows, The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (abridged), The Complete History of America (abridged) and The Bible: The Complete Word of God (abridged) enjoyed a nine-year run at the Criterion Theatre in Piccadilly Circus. Not only were they London's longest-running comedies, but at one point the Reduced Shakespeare Company had more shows running in the West End than Andrew Lloyd Webber. Some of them were funnier too… The "other RSC" as they're also know were last seen in the UK with their highly successful Complete World of Sports (abridged) which toured the country before completing a season in London's West End during the 2012 Olympics.

SHAKESPEARE IN A HURRY | The Reduced Shakespeare Company

Warning! This show is a high-speed roller-coaster type condensation of all of Shakespeare's plays and is not recommended for people with heart ailments, bladder problems, inner-ear disorders, outer-ear disorders, Shakespearean scholars, degrees in Elizabethan history and/or people inclined to motion sickness. The RSC cannot be held responsible for expectant mothers!

The Reduced Shakespeare Company bring 'The Complete Works Of William Shakespeare (abridged) [revised]' to Sunday, May 19th. Doors open 6.45pm and the performance starts at 7.30pm.

Tickets cost £14 (plus booking fee) under 18s, and £16 (plus booking fee) adults, from Bridport TIC 01308 424901 and seetickets.com

Danish folk sensation comes to Dorset

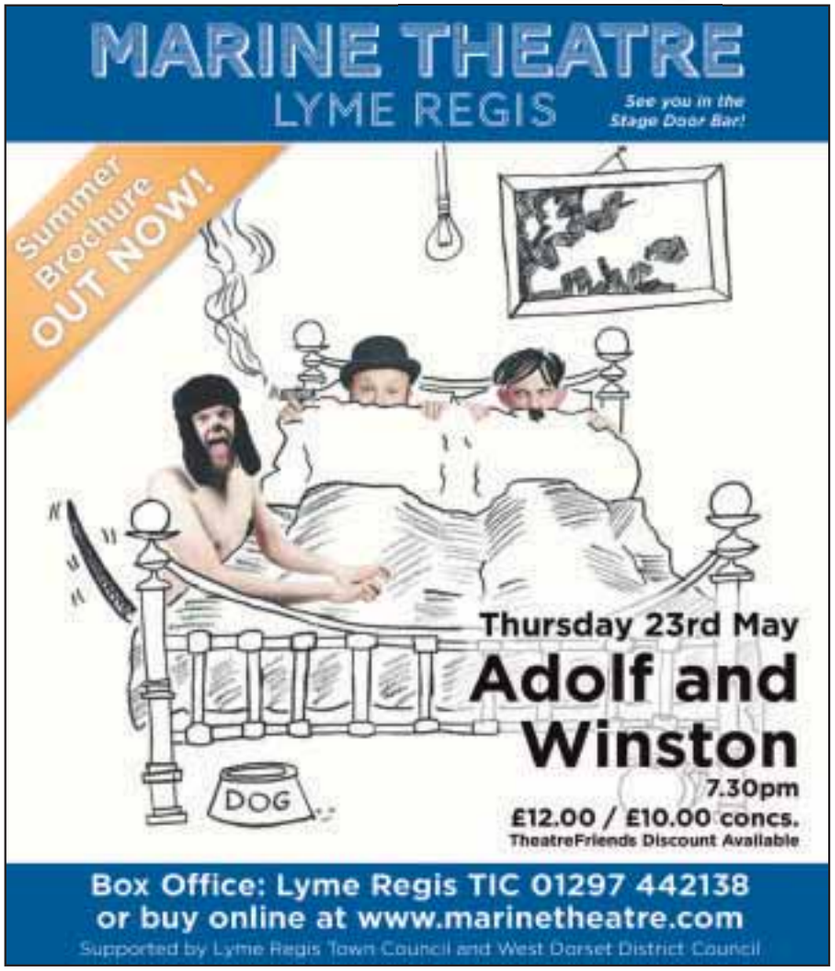
HARALD Haugaard is Denmark's most sensational folk musician and a highly influential international composer who has performed across the globe. An inventive virtuoso fiddle player, passionate musician and winner of nine Danish Music Awards, his characteristic style offers contemporary Danish folk music deeply rooted in tradition.

For this special one-off performance in Dorset, Haugaard returns to the Artsreach circuit for the first time since 2010. This time he presents a trio, featuring guitarist Mikkel Grue and percussionist Sune Rahbek, from folkfusion band Serras, in a vibrant and virtuous combination. Helene Blum, winner of the Danish Music award for Folk Debut of the Year in 2004, will join them. Blum has thrilled audiences throughout Europe, Canada and Japan with her intensely expressive, crystal clear voice. Using ancient songs and ballads as a base, she reinvents them with contemporary expressions and mixes them elegantly with newly written songs, including her own. She is deeply rooted in Danish music traditions, but at the same time is not afraid to challenge them.

Together the quartet will perform with great presence, a delicate blend of old traditional Danish dance tunes and songs, complemented by Haugaard's beautiful compositions and thrilling improvisations. This stunning combination of performers creates an event that is sure to be a highlight on the Artsreach programme this summer.

The Harald Haugaard Quartet play on Sunday, May 26th at Portesham Village Hall from 7.30pm. Tickets cost £9, £7 for under 18s, and £30 for a family of four. To book or for more details call 01305 871925.

GREAT DANES | Harald Haugaard and Helene Blum



Rummage Theatre bring their Edinburgh Fringe hit 'Cleansed' to local stages

RUMMAGE Theatre's 'Cleansed' deals with the Magdalene Laundries, which were catholic-run workhouses for 'fallen women' where 'voluntary prisoners' were incarcerated to 'wash their sins away'. It is believed that 10,000 women passed through the laundries in the Irish Republic between 1922 and 1996. It was not until 2011 that the Irish government set up an inquiry into the treatment of these women and girls. Cleansed explores what has happened to the survivors, our present day victims who cope with life in the aftermath of these traumatic experiences. To this day they are still waiting for an official apology from the 4 religious orders involved.

Rummage Theatre took Cleansed to the Edinburgh Fringe Festival 2012 and received a 4 star review from Broadway Baby and excellent praise from many of the Fringe critics.

"…this new play looks at a tragic part of history which needs telling."
Three Weeks

"Cleansed is a play that gets stronger as it goes and has an ending that is both dramatic and chilling… definitely worth your time."
Broadway Baby

"It is a stunning, evocative debut from a new theatre company and will soon be starting a tour, which I would recommend unreservedly."
The F Word

You can watch Cleansed at Toller Porcorum Village Hall on Wednesday, May 15th at 7.30 pm; Axbridge Town Hall on Saturday, June 1st at 7.30 pm; and Charlton Down Village Hall on Sunday, June 2nd at 7pm.

You can book tickets by calling Rhea on 07772114927 or calling the Rummage Theatre office on 01305 764726. Tickets are £7 (£5 concessions). The proceeds from the tour will be going towards taking their new play Captive Minds to the Edinburgh Fringe Festival 2013.

DORSET BACKDROP FOR ADVENTURE THRILLER AUTHOR ANDREW TOWNING

ANDREW Towning is the author of four Jake Dillon adventure thrillers and for those living in the south of England the locations used by Andrew for a large part of the action will be more than familiar!

With a backdrop of Lyme Regis in Towning's third novel 'Shroud of Concealment' and regular visits to Sandbanks in Poole throughout the series of books; The Constantine Legacy, Dead Men Don't Bite, Shroud of Concealment and his most recent book The Chimera Code readers get a real feel of familiar territories!

Andrew writes from his Wimborne home and began the Jake Dillon series of novels in 2006. After 200 attempts at finding a publisher an American firm took Andrew on and after the third thriller he now publishes the books, and Kindle versions, through Amazon.

He said: "I love Dorset and the exciting landscapes we are so lucky to enjoy. I make sure that Jake gets into many of his various assignments by sea and by land in Dorset! Poole Harbour and the Jurassic Coast play a large part too as Jake is a qualified diver and of course where better to set the scene than in the harbour and channel along the coast to the west?"

Andrew published his most recent novel in December 2012 and looks forward to publishing Jake Dillon number five in 2014!

Andrew is 52, a business owner and lives in Dorset with his wife, his two daughters and two dogs.

For more details on Andrew and his books visit www.andrewtowning.co.uk

LOCAL SETTING | Author Andrew Towning has used Lyme Regis as a backdrop in his novel 'Shroud of Concealment'.

National Theatre Live: This House

THIS HOUSE | The Electric Palace will be showing National Theatre Live's performance

IT'S 1974 and the corridors of Westminster ring with the sound of infighting and backbiting as Britain's political parties battle to change the future of the nation, whatever it takes. In this hung parliament, the ruling party holds on by a thread. Votes are won and lost by one, fist fights erupt in the bars, and ill MPs are hauled in to cast their votes.

It's a time when a staggering number of politicians die, and age-old traditions and allegiances are thrown aside in the struggle for power. James Graham's biting, energetic and critically-acclaimed new play strips politics down to the practical realities of those behind the scenes who roll up their sleeves, and on occasion bend the rules, to manoeuvre a diverse and conflicting chorus of MPs within the Mother of all Parliaments.

Bridport's Electric Palace will be showing National Theatre Live's This House on Thursday, May 16th. Doors open 6.30pm, with the performance at 7pm. Tickets cost £10 (plus booking fee) and are available online at www.seetickets.com or from Bridport TIC on 01308 424901.

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Family Fun on Museums at Night

MUSEUMS at Night, to be held on Saturday, May 18th, is getting even bigger in Dorchester this year and promises to be a fantastic night out for all the family. Not only are all of Dorchester's six museums and the Roman Town House included in the event, but this year for the first time Max Gate will also be open.

Entry to all eight heritage attractions in Dorchester is still only £8 for a family of two adults and up to four children for the evening, when bought in advance. Tickets for this fantastic value family night out at Dorchester's museums and attractions are now on sale from participating museums, the Dorchester Tourist Information Centre and Max Gate. Tickets can be bought on the night but cost £12.

Dorchester is probably the only town in Britain with such a wealth and diversity of museums. It's alive with history and heritage and this is all brought together for Museums at Night. Stroll down Dorchester's high street and history and heritage leap out at you from a multitude of places.

All six of Dorchester's museums plus the Roman Town House will be open after normal hours, from 5pm to 9pm, on Museums at Night to welcome visitors. All are within easy walking distance of each other, either on or close to Dorchester's main High Street. New this year is the inclusion of Max Gate, which will only be open from 3.30pm to 5.30pm as a special preview to the evening.

Museums at Night promises to be a very special night offering families and individuals an unrivalled opportunity to explore, discover and enjoy these eight iconic heritage venues: the world renowned Tutankhamun Exhibition, unique in this country; Britain's original Dinosaur Museum, acclaimed as one of the ten best child friendly museums nationally; the award winning Dorset County Museum with its fantastic collections on everything Dorset; the Keep Military Museum, one of the top ten highly rated military museums in the country; The Teddy Bear Museum, an enchanting family museum; the Roman Town House which is the best preserved example of its type in the UK open to the public; the Terracotta Warriors Museum, a real gem of a museum; and new this year Max Gate, home to novelist and poet Thomas Hardy.

All the museums and attractions are visitor friendly and some have hands on and interactive displays. Visit the Keep Military Museum's floodlit roof for fabulous views over Dorchester on a clear evening. Museums at Night is on the evening of Saturday, May 18th when the museums will be open after hours from 5pm to 9pm. Look out for some of Dorchester's best eateries who are participating in Museums at Night with special offers. Just show your ticket.

▲ The Dinosaur Museum

▲ The Keep Museum

▲ The Victorian Gallery at Dorchester County Museum

Cubana Bop plays West Side Story

COME and hear a unique Latin jazz take on the songs of one of the greatest 20th century musicals, West Side Story, when Cubana Bop play West Side Story at Dorchester's Corn Exchange on Friday, May 17th and Bridport Arts Centre Saturday, May 18th.

The Bernstein - Sondheim originals are given a new twist with arrangements performed by one of the UK's top Latin jazz bands, Cubana Bop, featuring special guest singers Paul Roberts and Jo Marshall. Roberts was lead singer of British band The Stranglers for 16 years and Marshall spent seven years working with top vocal group The Swingle Singers.

The songs have been arranged by band leader and pianist Terry Seabrook. They include 'Prologue', 'Maria', 'Tonight', 'I feel Pretty', 'Somewhere', 'America', 'Officer Krupke' and 'Something's Coming'.

Formed in 1995, Cubana Bop have toured the UK extensively, made three CD releases and accompanied visiting US artists such as Pucho and The Latin Soul Brothers. The group's line-up includes Graeme Flowers (trumpet), Ian Price (sax, flute and clarinet), Davide Mantovani (bass), Satin Singh (congas & percussion), and Adam Riley (drums & timbales) and Terry Seabrook (piano, arranger and leader).

Jo Marshall

Paul Roberts

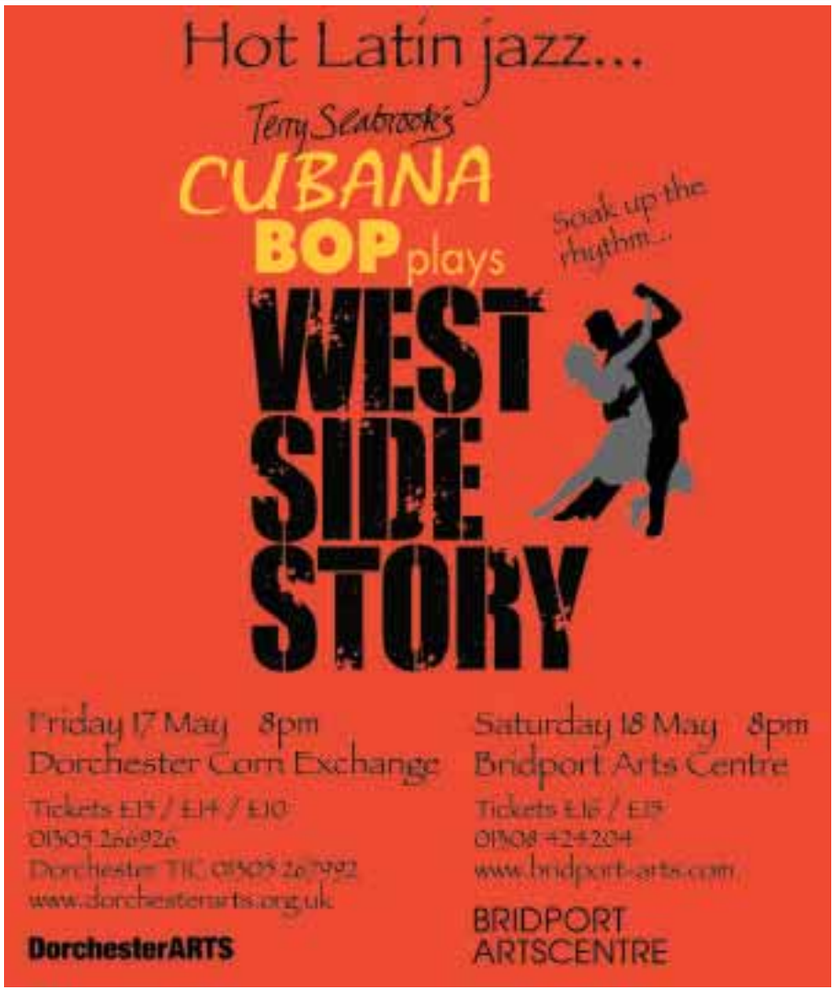
Seabrook is a pianist, composer and educator in the jazz and Latin genres and tours regularly with his projects. The recent project "Milestones" has been playing to sell-out audiences around the UK with performances of Miles Davis' best-selling jazz album Kind of Blue.

This promises to be an exuberant night of Cuban-jazz and a great opportunity for lovers of Latin jazz, salsa, tango or jive to come and dance the night away or just soak up the rhythms of this stunning eight-piece band.

Tickets for Friday, May 17th at Dorchester Corn Exchange at 8pm, cost £15, £14, and£10 from Dorchester Arts (01305 266926) or Dorchester Tourist Information Centre (01305 267992) or online: www.dorchesterarts.org.uk

Tickets for Saturday, May 18th at Bridport Arts Centre at 8pm, cost £16 and £15 from 01308 424204 or online at www.bridport-arts.com

For more information on the band visit www.cubanabop.com.



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LYME REGIS: Exhibition: Through The Light at Upstairs Gallery, The Town Mill. Open daily from 10.30am-4.30pm. Free admission. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com

LYME REGIS: Exhibition: 'Ways of Seeing' at The Town Mill, daily 10.30am-4.30pm. Free admission. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com Three artists, three styles: Magie Luff B A. Hons Fine Art, Felicity Brichieri-Colombi and Gill Jones

UNTIL SUNDAY JULY 14TH

BEAMINSTER: 'All in a Day's Work: Memories of local crafts and trades'. Exhibition at Beaminster Museum, Whitcombe Road. For more details call 01308 863577. Museum open Tuesdays, Thursdays, Saturdays & Bank Holidays: 10.30am – 1.00pm, 2.00pm – 4.30pm. Sundays: 2.00pm – 4.30pm. Admission: Adults £2, Students (16 and over) £1, Accompanied Children (Under 16) Free.

THURSDAY MAY 9TH

BRIDPORT: Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Located in Bridport. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends.
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FRIDAY MAY 10TH

BURTON BRADSTOCK: Burton Bradstock Festival of Music and Art fundraising Spring Concert. Musical Director David Juritz (violin) performing with Adrian Bradbury (cello) at the village hall. Tickets for this concert go on sale on April 17th in the post office or from Gill Redford (01308 897203).

LYME REGIS: Lyme Bay Photographic Club. Viewing and judging of the following competitions: 'Jubilee Cup - mini AV presentation telling a story, 20 DPIs/slides', 'Dave King Cup - Folio of 6 mounted black and white prints, any subject', 'Lyme 1200 Trophy - Folio of 6 mounted colour prints, any subject'. Plus end of season awards. Held at Woodmead Halls, 7.30pm. For more details call 01297 444733.

SATURDAY MAY 11TH

UPLYME: Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing from 8pm-10.30pm. At Uplyme Village Hall. £4.50 in aid of Hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM: Wine and Cheese evening plus Auction of Promises with James Rowe. From 7pm for wine and cheese buffet to be followed by auction 8.30pm, over 40 lots so far from holidays to evening meals, golf, shooting, fishing, hunting,a portrait, decorating, maintenance, all sorts of things on sale. Tickets £5.00 to include "tasting" and buffet from 01297 489375 or 489523. Come and bag a bargain. In aid of Church and Hall Funds

BEAMINSTER: Beaminster based a cappella choir, Parnham Voices, will perform a concert at the Museum from 7.30pm. Tickets £8 from the Yarn Barton Centre. All proceeds to the Museum.

WEYMOUTH: Broadwey and Upwey Horticultural Society are holding their Annual Plant Sale at 2pm in the Upwey Memorial Hall, Victoria Avenue, Upwey, Weymouth. Come along and choose your plants or just enjoy a cup of tea and delicious home-made cake.

BRIDPORT: Monthly Gift and Craft Fair at St. Marys Church House, South Street, from 9.30am -2.30pm. 20+ stalls selling a wide variety of goods, mostly handmade in the local area. Tea, coffee, cakes and delicious bacon rolls. FREE ENTRY. Tombola with lovely prizes in aid of Dorset & Somerset Air Ambulance. More info 01308 425023

SUNDAY MAY 12TH

MOSTERTON: Spring Fair at Mosterton Village Hall. 12noon-4pm. Fun dog show, 'bake a cake' competition. Lots of quality stalls, games and face painting for kids. A great afternoons fun for all the family.

MONDAY MAY 13TH

BEAMINSTER: Dorset Moviola present 'Quartet' (cert 12A). In Beaminster Public Hall. Doors open 7pm, film from 7.30pm. Tickets £5 in advance or £5.50 on the door. To book tickets call 01308 862796.

BRIDPORT: Friendly morning art group for beginner and hobby artists weekly 10:00am to 12:00pm. Each session £5.00. Please call Jayne for more information on 01308 455689

WEYMOUTH: The Radipole & Southill Horticultural Society are hosting an evening entitled 'Thank You for the Music' to raise funds for Julia's House. This will take the form of a floral art demonstration by Sarah from Pygmalion and a display of arrangements by the Flowers 4 Fun group. The evening starts at 7.30pm in Southill Community Centre, Radipole Lane, Weymouth, and tickets at £4 are available from Pygmalion Florists in Westham Road or the Julia's House shop. The ticket includes a raffle for the floral arrangements and refreshments, so please support this special event.

DORCHESTER: The West Dorset Health Service Retirement Fellowship will be meeting on 13 May 2013 2.30 pm in the Education Centre, Dorset County Hospital Dorchester when Christine Shaw will give a talk on Lesotho - "Through the Gates of Paradise". All retired Health Service employees are welcome.

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6.30 - 7.30pm KETTLERCISE
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Sat, Sun, Wed: 13.40, 16.45, 19.50

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21 and Over 15
Fri, Sun-Tue: 20.30
Sat: 18.00, 20.30
Wed: 13.45, 20.30, Thu: 13.00

Iron Man 3 (2D) 12A
Fri, Mon, Tue: 19.45
Sat, Sun, Wed: 13.45, 19.45
Thu: 13.45

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Thu: 17.10, 19.30

Star Trek Into Darkness (3D) 12A
Fri, Mon, Tue: 17.00, 20.00
Sat: 10.30, 14.00, 17.00, 20.00
Sun: 14.00, 17.00, 20.00
Wed: 14.00, 17.00, 20.00
Thu: 12.30, 15.30

All Stars U
Fri, Mon-Wed: 18.00
Sat: 10.15, 13.00, 15.30
Sun: 12.30, 15.00

Beat Girl 12A
Mon-Wed: 16.00, Thu: 15.15

Chimpanzee U
Daily: 17.30

Fast & Furious 6 12A
Fri, Mon, Tue, Thu: 17.20, 20.20
Sat, Sun, Wed: 14.20, 17.20, 20.20

Star Trek Into Darkness (2D) 12A
Fri, Mon, Tue: 17.20, 20.20
Sat, Wed: 14.20, 17.20, 20.20
Sun: 12.45, 17.20, 20.20
Thu: 12.45, 15.45, 20.20

The Croods 12A Sat: 10.00am

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Plus Sat & Sun: 10.30, 11.30, 12.45
Thu: 16.00, 19.15

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plus Sat & Sun: 11.00, 11.50

Dead Man Down 15
Fri-Tue: 19.50

21 and Over 15
Fri, Mon-Thu: 14.10, 16.30, 18.50, 21.10
Sat & Sun: 16.30, 18.50, 21.10

All Stars U
Daily: 14.30, 17.10
plus Sat & Sun: 11.50am

The Croods U
Fri, Mon-Thu: 15.10, 17.40
plus Sat & Sun: 11.30, 12.40, 4.00, 15.10, 17.40

Deadfall 15
Daily: 20.10

Brave PG
Sat: 10.00am

Frankenweenie PG
Sat: 10.20am

The Great Gatsby 12A
Thu: 13.00, 13.45, 16.15, 17.00, 19.30, 20.15

Wreck It Ralph PG
Sat: 10.10am

This Week's releases

STAR TREK INTO DARKNESS 12A
AFTER the crew of the Enterprise find an unstoppable force of terror from within their own organization, Captain Kirk leads a manhunt to a war-zone world to capture a one man weapon of mass destruction.
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INTO DARKNESS | Chris Pine and Zachary Quinto star as Kirk and Spock

MUD 12A
TWO teenage boys encounter a fugitive and form a pact to help him evade the bounty hunters on his trail and to reunite him with his true love.
Stars Matthew McConaughey, Tye Sheridan, Reese Witherspoon and Jacob Lofland.

DEADFALL 15
A THRILLER that follows two siblings who decide to fend for themselves in the wake of a botched casino heist, and their unlikely reunion during another family's Thanksgiving celebration.
Stars Eric Bana, Olivia Wilde and Charlie Hunnam.

THE RELUCTANT FUNDAMENTALIST 15
A YOUNG Pakistani man is chasing corporate success on Wall Street. He finds himself embroiled in a conflict between his American Dream, a hostage crisis, and the enduring call of his family's homeland.
Stars Riz Ahmed, Kate Hudson, Liev Schreiber and Kiefer Sutherland.

New carvery at The Mariners

DINING OUT with Philip Evans

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Well, at least we don't eat horse - not knowingly!

The traditional Sunday sit-down does not necessarily have to be around your home dining table.

Most hotels and restaurants cater for the Great British Sunday lunch, providing mum with a well earned weekend rest from slaving over a hot stove, and the carvery has become very much part of the eating out experience.

One of the latest establishments to introduce a Sunday carvery is the award-winning Mariners Hotel and Restaurant in Lyme Regis where owners Jerry and Rosemary Ramsdale and head chef Richard Reddaway have built an enviable reputation for fine dining in recent years.

The Sunday Carvery, served in a polite and informal manner in the hotel's light and airy restaurant with glorious views over Lyme Bay, is reasonably priced at £9.50 per head to include two roast meats with a range of seasonal vegetables, roast and new potatoes, stuffing and the obligatory Yorkshire pudding.

Children (under 12s) are more than welcome and can dine for just £45.95 to include the carvery, a drink and ice-cream.

Portions at The Mariners are very generous but for those with large appetites you can go back for a second helping for just another £4.95.

The roast joints are just part of The Mariners' new carvery menu with a number of starters on offer, priced between £4.95 and £6.95, including soup of the day, cider batter monkfish goujons, mussels with shallots in a garlic and white wine sauce, pan seared Lyme Bay cuttlefish

■ **THE MARINERS HOTEL - where chef Richard Reddaway has built an enviable reputation for fine dining**

and crispy goats cheese served with balsamic pearls. cherry tomatoes and chilli salsa.

If you want to be a little more adventurous than the Sunday roast, other dishes on the Sunday Carvery Menu, priced between £9.50 and £12.95, include Mariners fish of the day with chips, pan roasted seabass served with sauteed samphire and new potatoes, Thai pumpkin and seafood curry and artichoke spinach and brie risotto.

There's a good range of desserts, around about the £5.25 mark, including honey and thyme pannacotta, Dorset apple cake, chocolate and pecan nut brownie as well as a selection of West Country ice-creams and cheeses.

If you want to tantalise your taste buds further, The Mariners also provides plenty of variety at their popular theme nights which are held every Wednesday featuring tastes from around the world.

Over the next few weeks you will be able to enjoy the following: Tapas Night (May 15th), Curry Night (May 22nd), Italian Night (May 29th), Moules et Frite Night (June 5th), Greek Night (June 19th) and Cajun Nights (June 26th).

The Mariners restaurant is open seven days a week for lunch and dinner and parking is free. Bookings are always advisable on 01297 442753.

View 2 Diary Dates

TUESDAY MAY 14TH

BEAMINSTER: Beaminster and District Camera Club AGM - hand in entries for selection for Kingswood Salver. At Beaminster Museum from 7.30pm. For more details call Harry Worthington on 01308 862453.

BRIDPORT: Friendly afternoon art group for beginner and hobby artists weekly from 1pm-3pm. Each session £5, please call Jayne for more information on 01308 455689.

BRIDPORT: Bridport History Society will have 'Glimpses of Old Bridport' from Bruce Upton using Bridport Museum images. All welcome, visitors entry £2-50. From 2.30pm in Bridport United Church Main Hall, East Street.

WEDNESDAY MAY 15TH

EYPE: West Dorset Decorative and Fine Arts Society illustrated talk. Talk by Mr Warren Hearnden 'Goya: State and Subversion' at Highlands End Leisure Centre at 2.30pm. For more details call 07972 472029.

BRIDPORT: Workshop: The joy of work! 10am £15. Working with career passion and purpose. Booking essential, limited spaces. www.suewheeler.moonfruit.com for more details of this and other workshops locally.

THURSDAY MAY 16TH

BRIDPORT: Coffee & Chat at Beach & Barnicott upstairs at 2.30pm. Organised by 50 Plus Circle of Friends. An easy and comfortable way of meeting and making new friends. Please call Jennifer at 01308 538395 for more info

FRIDAY MAY 17TH - WEDNESDAY JUNE 5TH

LYME REGIS: Exhibition 'Flora Fauna Pots and People' at The Town Mill from 10.30am-4.30pm daily. Free admission. For more details visit www.townmillartsguild.com

SATURDAY MAY 18TH

UPLYME: Plant Sale and Coffee Morning at Uplyme Village Hall from 9.30am-12noon. Donations please of plants and produce (cakes, jam, veg etc.). Entry £1.

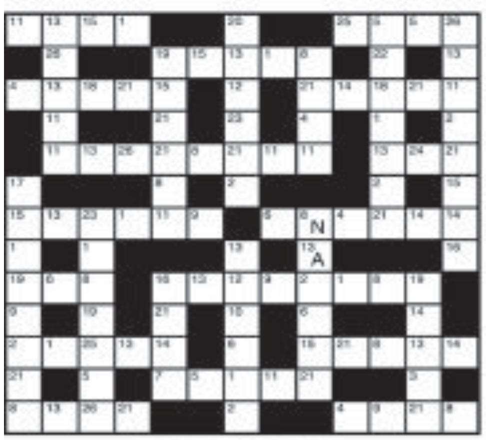
BRIDPORT: Bumper Charity Sale for Street Children of India. United Church Hall. 10am - 1pm. Books. Clothes. Bric-a-brac. Cakes. Coffees. To collect donations tel 01308 459001.

BOTHENHAMPTON: Film: Argo, showing at Bothenhampton Village Hall. Doors open 7pm, film from 7.30pm. Tickets available on the door cost £4 for members of film club £5 for everybody else. Organised by Village hall committee. For more details call 01308 423071.

Brain Gym No.220

Codeword

Each number in the grid represents a different letter of the alphabet and every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter(s) to the right of the main grid to start you off.



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LAST WEEK'S SOLUTION:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
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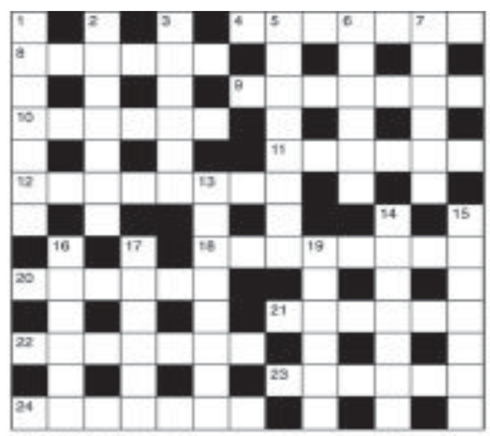
Double Crossword

Choose either quick or cryptic clues - both fit the same grid.



Cryptic Clues:

Across

4. Requests for a variety of apples (7)
8. If lost, they may be broken (6)
9. Study one sporting event or another (7)
10. I creep around, being useful to the cook (6)
11. Looked deeper, perhaps (8)
12. This gallery is no place for the artist who creates a scene! (8)
18. It was left at sea (8)
20. Routed as a diversion (6)
21. Superior gambler (6)
22. Slow train that follows one that is late (7)
23. Achieves success with the orchestrations? (6)
24. A target for a race-meeting (7)

Down

1. Pray the change will do you good! (7)
2. A girl sent round transport for the sailors (7)
3. Possible result of giving us port! (6)
5. If you start to act dumb, he should help you (8)
6. The respect in which going up meets the point (6)
7. He should honour his agreement to the letter (6)
13. It expresses assent and no mistake! (3,5)
14. Runs ten cars perhaps (7)
15. Speech and attire of modern times (7)
16. Break into plain language? (6)
17. I left first followed by a Shakespearian heroine (6)
19. Turn pale (6)

Quick Clues:

Across

4. Particular (7)
8. Filament (6)
9. Startled (7)
10. Rotten (6)
11. Illness (6)
12. String of beads (8)
18. Apportion (8)
20. Run aground (6)
21. Din (6)
22. Lofty (7)
23. Relax (6)
24. Balcony (7)

Down

1. Salary (7)
2. Defend (7)
3. Of the lips (6)
5. Helter-skelter (4-4)
6. Ring (6)
7. Items of business (6)
13. Scholarly (8)
14. Sickly-sentimental (7)
15. Fate (7)
16. Arrange fitly (6)
17. Higher (6)
19. Speaker (6)

Sudoku

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Fill in the grid below so that every column, every row and each of the 3x3 boxes contains all the digits from 1 to 9.

LAST WEEK'S SOLUTIONS >

6	3	7	9	4	1	2	5	8
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8	5	9	2	3	7	4	6	1
5	2	3	4	1	9	6	8	7
7	8	4	5	2	6	3	1	9
1	9	6	7	8	3	5	4	2

LAST WEEK'S CROSSWORD SOLUTIONS: CRYPTIC - Across: 1 Nightshirts; 9 Tip; 10 Plane tree; 11 Entry; 13 Net gain; 14 Larder; 16 Razors; 18 Justice; 19 Ditto; 20 Crime wave; 21 Err; 22 Best sellers. Down: 2 Imp; 3 Happy; 4 Stains; 5 Inertia; 6 Turn about; 7 Steeplejack; 8 Tennis court; 12 Turnstile; 15 Evident; 17 Rebate; 19 Dwell; 21 Ear. QUICK - Across: 1 Legerdemain; 9 Use; 10 Negotiate; 11 Doffs; 13 Sullied; 14 Shriek; 16 Strain; 18 Artiste; 19 Buyer; 20 Cast aside; 21 Eel; 22 New Year's Day. Down: 2 Ewe; 3 Emas; 4 Digest; 5 Matelot; 6 Imaginary; 7 Outdistance; 8 Leading role; 12 Forebode; 15 Ecstasy; 17 Retina; 19 Bless; 21 Era.

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Such groups are therefore invited to submit full details of their proposals for which financial assistance is being requested.

Grant guidelines and application forms available from:-

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Mr J. Wright
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Expressions of interest are invited from suitably qualified contractors in conservation and repair for works to the Guildhall, Weymouth. The Guildhall is listed Grade II*. The works comprise repairs to the external stonework and replacement of the iron cramps to the principal elevation (St Edmunds Street)

Contractors expressing interest will be required to complete and submit a pre-qualification questionnaire. Copies of the pre-qualification questionnaire are available until 3rd June 2013 on www.dorset foryou.com or by e mail: e.james@ westdorset-weymouth.gov.uk

Contractors will be required to demonstrate that they have the necessary conservation and management skills and are appropriately qualified in Health and Safety.

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LYME REGIS - £337,500

Situated in a desirable location, close to the town, Springhill is an exclusive development of just six traditional styled houses. This attractive cottage with its natural stone and rendered walls and thatched roof is finished to a high standard with Oak flooring and doors, built in appliances and quality fittings throughout. There are manageable gardens to the front and rear with an additional communal garden bordered by a small stream and mature hedgerow. A garage and additional space provide parking to the rear of the cottage. The accommodation briefly comprises: Entrance hall, cloakroom, kitchen/dining room, utility area, lounge, master bedroom with en suite, two further bedrooms and a bathroom.

LYME REGIS – £149,950

This light and spacious second floor apartment with bedroom, lounge, kitchen and bathroom is located a short distance from the town centre and beaches, with views over the town or Lyme Bay from most rooms. The property is in very good condition and retains much character.

LYME REGIS – £447,500

A traditional 3 / 4 bedroom detached house built in 1932 and situated on an elevated corner plot. This substantial house has been tastefully updated, though retaining many of its attractive original features. EPC band E.

UPLYME - £448,000

This detached four bedroom property is situated in this popular East Devon village and set on a corner plot in a small cul-de-sac is this attractive former show house offering well proportioned and beautifully presented accommodation giving a spacious and contemporary feel. EPC band C

RAYMONDS HILL - £425,000

This substantial four bedroom detached family house is set in mature level gardens which extend to approximately 3/4 of an acre, having far reaching country and distant sea-views. The accommodation briefly comprises, three reception rooms, kitchen, utility/washroom, separate wc, four bedrooms, family bathroom, outhouse, carport, parking and turning area. The property has scope to be extended. (Subject to the necessary planning consent being obtained) EPC band Et

LYME REGIS - £475,000

This substantial detached house situated in a popular area is located a short walk from the town and sea. It offers spacious and flexible accommodation set over three floors with four/five bedrooms, three being en suite, open plan living dining room with views over the town and West Dorset coastline. Kitchen, utility room, family bathroom, study/bedroom five and a self-contained apartment, gardens to the front and rear with off road parking for several vehicles. The property has B & B and holiday letting potential and is offered with the benefit of no onward chain.

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LYME REGIS - £337,500

AN attractive modern three bedroom terraced cottage with a garage and parking delightfully situated close to the town.

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Lyme Regis coast which is close by is famed for its many historic connections and character buildings, and of course, for its well known Cobb Harbour. As a resort, it is considered quite unspoilt, but has most of the shops and amenities that one could require, in addition to which there are numerous leisure activities including both sailing and power boat clubs, a cliff top golf course and a bowling club. The whole coastline with Lyme Regis and Charmouth at its centre has recently been designated a World Heritage Site (commonly known as the Jurassic Coast). It lies approximately 5 miles from the market town of Axminster, with its main line railway connections to Waterloo (Approx. 2 3/4 hours). The market town of Bridport is approximately 7 miles distant, with Taunton and Exeter within a radius of about 30 miles with access to the M5 motorway. The county town of Dorchester is within a similar distance. For more information about this property or to arrange a viewing please contact Fortnam Smith & Banwell Estate Agents on 01297 – 445666.

Sparacre House, BRIDPORT £799,000

A LARGE and versitile gentleman's residence situated within easy walking distance from Bridport town centre. This period property is spread over four floors with very generous rooms sizes, including 4 DOUBLE bedrooms and the opportunity for additional bedrooms as required. Multiple reception rooms, many with solid wood panelling and we are told that the gardens extend to approximately 1/3 acre. There are, in addition, several outbuildings, a former stables and an Air Raid shelter.

186 WEST BAY ROAD

HOLLOWAY Estate Agents are pleased to offer this mature detached character chalet bungalow enjoying panoramic open views with spacious accommodation, large gardens, garage adjoining workshop on a large level site. The Accommodation comprises Reception Hall, Three Reception Rooms, Bedroom, Shower Room, Kitchen/Breakfast Room, and Rear Lobby. Upstairs there are Two Further Bedrooms one with en suite cloakroom. Outside the property is approached over an unmade unadopted road with parking for several vehicles and a tarmacadam concrete driveway approaching the garage/workshop. The front garden comprises herbaceous borders, rose arch and various mature shrubs. The rear level garden comprises large lawned areas with ornamental fishpond, rockeries, herbaceous borders and mature shrubs. Large vegetable area. A Garden Chalet, fitted with electric power and light, enjoys a westerly aspect with large area of decking to the frontage. The property benefits from double glazing and gas central heating. This property backs onto the Brit Meadows and enjoys unsurpassed panoramic views across these to the coastal village of West Bay. The guide price is £425,000. The EPC rate is E. For further information or to arrange a viewing on this property please contact Holloway Estate Agents 01308 422121.

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CHARMOUTH - £379,000

VILLAGE LOCATION. Three-bedroomed detached house situated in a quiet cul-de-sac in the sought-after Coastal Village of Charmouth. Level walking distance of village amenities, the beach and Charmouth Primary School. EPC - D

CATHERSTON LEWESTON - £425,000

A substantial and handsome house, for sale as part of Catherston Manor, the 500 year old historic Manor House in an idyllic elevated setting in rural Catherston Leweston, just five minutes drive from the coast and Charmouth. Full of period features this stunning four bedroom property offers a wealth of character and space which can only be perceived by internal viewing. Every room offers surprises and a pleasure to behold.

CHARMOUTH - £480,000

An attractive detached three bedroom bungalow situated within a sought after cul de sac with panoramic elevated sea and coastal views along the Jurassic Coastline towards Portland Bill. The property benefits from large UPVC double glazed windows, gas central heating, vaulted ceilings, garage and enclosed well stocked pretty gardens. EPC - E

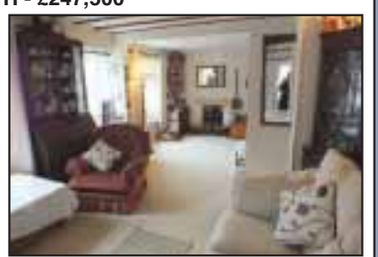
CHARMOUTH - £230,000

A charming, detached, period property with large, secluded garden (approximately 150' [45.72m] in length), close to the village centre although quietly located in a private position just behind the main street. Level walk to shops and beach. Currently a second home but could be utilised as either main home or holiday home. EPC - E

CHARMOUTH - £399,000

Detached three/possibly four bedroom bungalow, with garage and parking. Set in 0.5 acres of gently sloping garden with views towards the Marshwood Vale. The property has potential to develop further (subject to Planning Permission) EPC - D

CHARMOUTH - £247,500



A charming 2/3 bedroom period end-of-terrace cottage with an attractive garden bordering the River, with the benefit of gas central heating, new wiring, recently fitted kitchen and redecorated to a good standard throughout the property. EPC - D

CHARMOUTH - £439,950

Detached four/five bedroom house. One of the bedrooms being on the ground floor with a bathroom suite which would be suitable for a dependant relative. Centrally located, just a minutes stroll from all the village amenities. The property also benefits from beautiful countryside surroundings and a ten minute stroll to Charmouth beach. EPC - C

CHARMOUTH - £185,000

Quaint and quirky one bedroom cottage bungalow full of character and charm. Just a short stroll to the village ameneties and 10 minutes to Charmouth Beach and its stunning Jurrasic Coastline. EPC - F

CHARMOUTH - £465,000

A unique, attractive and beautifully maintained, detached four bedroom, three bathroom house. Situated in the centre of the village. EPC - D

CHARMOUTH - £164,500

Two Bedroom, purpose-built, first floor flat. Just a short 5 minute walk from Charmouth Beach and a 10 minute stroll walk to the village stores. EPC - C

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Three Bedrooms – Shower Room – Large Garden
Garage – ER:C

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POUNDBURY £210 000

SPACIOUS APARTMENT WITH VIEWS

Entrance Hall – Kitchen – Sitting/Dining Area –
Two Double Bedrooms – Bathroom – Parking –
Stunning Views – ER: B

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MOSTERTON £179 950

WELL PRESENTED SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE

Sitting Room - Dining Room - Kitchen -
Three Bedrooms - Enclosed Garden – Driveway -
Garage - OFCH - No Onward Chain – ER:C

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SPACIOUS AND FLEXIBLE ACCOMMODATION

Sitting Room – Dining Room – Study/Bedroom Four – Kitchen - Utility Room –
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DETACHED IN VILLAGE WITH AMENITIES

Hall – Three Receptions – Cloakroom – Four Bedrooms
– En-Suite – Gated Parking – Gardens – Detached
Double Garage – ER:D

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BEAMINSTER £59 950

FIRST FLOOR RETIREMENT FLAT

Shared Entrance Hall – Private Hall – Sitting Room –
Kitchen – Two Bedrooms – Bathroom –
Communal Gardens – No Chain – ER:E

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BEAMINSTER £125 000

FIRST FLOOR FLAT

Lobby – Hall – Sitting/Dining Room –
Kitchen/Breakfast Room – Two Bedrooms –
Shower Room – Private Gardens – ER:C

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MELPLASH £485 000

SPACIOUS DETACHED CHALET BUNGALOW

Four Reception Rooms - Kitchen/Breakfast Room -
Five Bedrooms - Wet Room – Bathroom -
Double Garage - Extensive Gardens - ER:D

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GROUND FLOOR FLAT IN CUL DE SAC

Covered Porch – Entrance Hall – Sitting Room –
Kitchen – Two Bedrooms – Shower Room -
Private Garden – No Onward Chain – ER:D

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REFURBISHED APARTMENT

Open-Plan Sitting/Dining and Kitchen – Double Bedroom
– Shower Room – Outside Drying Area – UF – ER:C

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UNFURNISHED TERRACED TOWN HOUSE IN QUIET CUL DE SAC

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Parking – Garage – ER:F

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BEAMINSTER £87 500

FIRST FLOOR RETIREMENT FLAT

Hall – Sitting Room – Kitchen – Two Bedrooms –
Shower Room – Communal Gardens – Parking –
Warden Assisted – ER:C

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CHARLTON DOWN £675 pcm

END OF TERRACE PROPERTY

Entrance Hall – Sitting/Dining Room – Kitchen –
Two Double Bedrooms – Bathroom – Allocated Parking
– ER: D

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DORCHESTER £1100 pcm

SEMI-DETACHED HOUSE IN MANOR PARK AREA

Entrance Hall – Kitchen/Dining Room – Sitting Room –
Three Bedrooms – Shower Room – Large Garden –
Garage – ER: C

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CHARLTON DOWN £650 pcm

HUGE APARTMENT WITH STUNNING VIEWS

Private Entrance Hall – Kitchen with Appliances –
Sitting/Dining Room – Two Double Bedrooms –
Bathroom – Allocated Parking – Communal Grounds –
ER: D

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- Kitchen/Breakfast Room
- Garden
- Garden Chalet EPC E

BRIDPORT £79,000

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- Gas Fired Central Heating
- Cycle Store Views EPC C

WEST BAY £119,950

- First Floor Coastal Apartment
- Bedroom
- En-suite Shower
- Living Room
- Kitchen
- Parking
- Communal Gardens EPC F

BEAMINSTER £132,000

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- Living Room
- Kitchen
- Garden EPC C

BRADPOLE £158,000

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- 2nd Bedroom
- Attic Studio
- Large Garden
- Street Parking EPC F

BRIDPORT OIEO £210,000

- Semi-Detached Dormer Bungalow
- 3 Bedrooms
- Living Room
- Kitchen
- Shower Room
- Garage
- Gardens
- Views EPC D

BROADWINDSOR £219,500

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- Attached Garage
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- Lounge/Dining Room
- Garden
- Backing On To Farmland EPC F

BRIDPORT £280,000

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- Garden Garage
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- 2 Bedrooms
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- Gardens Parking
- Views EPC D

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- Town Centre
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- Kitchen
- Lounge
- Bathroom
- Parking
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The new Volkswagen Golf Bluemotion: more driving, less fill-ups

FROM Friday, UK customers can order one of the world's most fuel-efficient family cars: the new Golf BlueMotion. This car offers fuel economy of 88.3 mpg on the combined cycle, and CO2 emissions of just 85 g/km, yet like its predecessors it still offers customer all the Golf's traditional attributes of practicality, comfort and safety.

The new Golf BlueMotion's fuel economy is 15 per cent better than that of the previous-generation model, which emitted 99 g/km (now the emissions of a standard Golf 1.6-litre TDI). The original Golf BlueMotion, revealed at the Geneva Motor Show in 2007, returned, at that time, a class-leading 62.8 mpg with emissions of 119 g/km – figures now surpassed by even the range-topping diesel, the 184 PS Golf GTD.

With its 50-litre fuel tank and 88.3 mpg fuel consumption, the new Golf BlueMotion has a theoretical range of 970 miles. Assuming an average annual driving distance of under 10,000 miles, most drivers will only have to refuel 10 times a year. Road tax won't be an issue, either – the Golf BlueMotion is in Band A, meaning it's zero pounds a year.

The reduction in the car's combined fuel consumption has been achieved through lightweight design (including 26 kg less weight in the running gear and 37 kg less in the body), engine-related modifications and a collection of other measures. These include super low rolling resistance tyres with higher air pressure, longer gear ratios (six-speed manual gearbox), the Stop/Start and battery regeneration systems that are standard in all new Golfs, plus specific aerodynamic modifications.

The frontal area of the new Golf was reduced by 0.03 m2 and aerodynamic drag (Cd x A) by nearly 10 percent, giving it a Cd value of 0.27. Compared to other standard Golf models, the aerodynamics of the BlueMotion were also refined by a lowered ride height (by 15 mm), a roof spoiler, lateral air guide elements on the rear window, a masked front grille, partially closed air inlet screens, optimised cooling system airflow, special underfloor panels, optimised brake cooling channels and a C-pillar spoiler.

At the heart of the new Golf BlueMotion is a 1.6-litre 110 PS common rail TDI from the new EA288 engine series (producing 5 PS more power than in non-BlueMotion models). The four-cylinder 16-valve unit develops its maximum torque of250 Nm from just 1,500 rpm up to 3,000 rpm.

Various measures such as reduced internal friction, an innovative thermal management system with shortened warm-up phase, exhaust gas recirculation, cylinder pressure sensor, two-stage oil pump, switchable electric water pump and water-cooled intercooler right in the intake manifold result in successfully reducing fuel consumption and emissions. To reduce emissions values further, Volkswagen has also implemented an oxidation catalytic converter, a diesel particulate filter and a NOx storage catalytic converter.

Prices for the new Golf BlueMotion start at £20,335 (RRP OTR) for the three-door and rise to £20,990 for the five-door, with specification based on that of the standard Golf S – see price list for full details. UK Volkswagen Retailers are taking orders for the new Golf BlueMotion now, with the first deliveries expected in August.

▲ The Volkswagen Golf BlueMotion

Car thieves favour Mercedes-Benz

TRACKER 2012 recovery figures reveal most sought after Mercedes models

LAST year over £2million worth of Mercedes-Benz were recovered by TRACKER, the stolen vehicle recovery (SVR) expert, making it a favourite make with car thieves. In the UK a car gets stolen every five minutes, with half of them never being seen again*. In total over £12.5 million worth of cars were recovered by TRACKER in 2012.

Mercedes is a very desirable make and is favoured with the rich and famous. Only recently Made in Chelsea celebrity Millie Mackintosh opted to purchase a SLK-Class Coupé, joining her fiancé Professor Green who already owns a SLS-Class. With the SLK coming out as the top favorite model for thieves to steal and an on the road price tag of around £30k, fitting a TRACKER will give car owners the ultimate in peace of mind should the worse happen.

Stuart Chapman, Police Relationships Manager for TRACKER explains, "The theft of vehicles has become much more sophisticated and in some instances brutal, as criminals find more ways to steal desirable, high-end cars. Installing aTRACKER significantly increases the chances of a stolen vehicle being recovered and returned to its owner.Over 90% of cars fitted with a TRACKER device are successfully located and returned to owners, usually within 24 hours.

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Ford maintains clear market lead with stronger retail and CV sales

UK MARKET leader Ford increased its car and commercial vehicle (CV) sales in April and for the year to date, compared with 2012.

Ford's retail car sales were also up for April and for the year to date, compared with 2012. The Ford Fiesta was the retail sales leader, continuing to outsell its nearest rival by more than two to one.

Mark Ovenden, Ford of Britain chairman managing director, said: "April continued the positive news in the UK market that has seen Ford's car and CV models sustain their impressive sales record through 2013.

"Our best-ever vehicle range has proved attractive to private customers, helping to drive up our share of more profitable retail sales. The quality of the Ford model range is underlined by the Ford B-MAX achieving segment leadership as well as the successful launches this year of the new Ford Fiesta, the Ford Transit Custom, the Ford Kuga and the headline-grabbing new Ford Fiesta ST."

The official figures released by the SMMT today show that total car sales in April were up 14.8 per cent to 163,357 units, compared with April 2012. Ford car sales of 22,178 were up from 20,621 in April 2012. For the year to date (end April) total UK car sales were 768,555 up 8.9 per cent compared with 2012, while Ford car sales for this period were 106,525, up from 103,469 in 2012.

With a total of 8,083 registrations the Ford Fiesta was the UK best seller in April – 1,999 sales and 1.2 percentage points of market share ahead of its nearest rival. On retail sales alone the Fiesta's lead is even more significant at 2,733 registrations and 3.3 percentage points of market share.

In April the Ford B-MAX secured leadership of its segment with 1,442 sales, accounting for a 24.6 per cent segment share. The B-MAX joins the Ford Fiesta, Focus and Galaxy, which also lead their respective segments.

UK CV sales in April were up over 25 per cent, compared with April 2012. Total sales of Ford CVs in April were up from 3,822 to 5,900, compared with the same month last year, with share up from 18.5 to 22.8 per cent. For the year to date (end April), Ford CV sales are up from 20,628 to 24,659 with share up from 20.6 to 22.5 per cent, compared with the same period last year.

Ford medium commercial sales, headed by the industry-leading Ford Transit, were up from 3,096 to 5,013 and Ford's share of MCV sales was 32.2 per cent up from 27.0 per cent in April 2012. The Ford Transit is the sixth best-selling vehicle in the UK, outsold in Ford's model range only by the Fiesta and the Focus.

Ford Transit leads all CV segments in which it competes, with its share of the one tonne segment bolstered by the introduction of the Transit Custom and the Tourneo Custom. Ford Fiesta van also leads its segment by a clear margin, taking 60.8 per cent of its segment for the year to date.

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Winsham clinch title

Double on for Uplyme - Pymore heading for promotion

DOUBLE: James Beddows scored twice as Uplyme beat Thorncombe 4-1 to win the Jack Venn Cup.

CONSOLATION: Dave Matthews' late hate header couldn't halt Winsham's charge to first ever premiership title.

SIX GOALS: Tim Hussey's double hat-trick helped Pymore maintain their late sprint for div two promotion slot.

Monday, April 29th
Premier
Millwey Rise 2 (S.Dibling, M.Lewis) Lyme Regis 2 (B.Whittington, D.Rowe).
Division One
Netherbury 7 (T.Franklin 3, K.Ives, L.Quincey, R.Gay, J.Kingston) S.Petherton Reserves 2 (J.Connett 2), Perry Street Res 0 Forton Rangers 3 (A.Stevenson, L.Goodland, T.Brown).
Division Two
Uplyme 0 Chard United 1(S.Miller).

Tuesday, April 30th
Premier
Shepton Beau 2 (S.Murley, K.Hastings) South Petherton 0
Division Two
Charmouth 2 (M.Pile 2, 1pen) Thorncombe 2 (H.Hosiene, L.De Pasquale).

Wednesday, May 1st
Premier
Ilminster Res 6 (T.Jefferson 3, G.Dare 2, L.Woodard) Farway United 1 (R.Chatwood)
Division One
Beaminster Res 2 Crewk Res 2
Division Two
Dowlish & Donyatt 2 Uplyme 3 (R.Prendeville, J.Davies, OG), Pymore 3 (A.Cody-Boutcher 2, B.Scadding) Chard United 2, Waytown Hnds 5 (J.Legg 2, M.Read, S.Battrick, I.Barnett) Crewkerne Rangers 1,
Division Three
Chard Utd Res v Drimpton
Combe A 2 Millwey Rise Res 1
Lyme Bantams 5 (P.Peacock 3, D.Poole, R.Prior) Hawkchurch Utd 1 (S.Weir),
Division Four
Chard Rang Res 0 Shepton Res 9 (A.Hodges 4, A.Sweet, J.Sweet, A.Field, B.Brister, J.Burkhardt), Farway Res 7 (A.Lawson 2, P.Salmon 2, M.Burrough, D.Williams, OG) Crewk Rangers Res 2, Uplyme Res 0 Forton Reserves 4

Thursday, May 2nd
Premier
Lyme Regis 1 (D.Matthews) Winsham United 2 (Joe Simmons, G.Warren).

Midweek round-up
Monday
LYME Regis battled back twice at Millwey Rise but ultimately the 2-2 score line was of little use in the their attempt to retain the premier division title.

Ben Whittington scrambled home a leveler after Sam Dibling had put Millwey ahead in the first-half.

Matty Lewis restored the hosts' advantage only for Dom Rowe to head home from a corner deep into injury time.

Netherbury kept alive their promotion hopes in division one with Tom Franklin (3), Lee Quincey, Karl Ives, Ryan Gay and John Kingston in the 7-2 drubbing of South Petherton Reserves.

Uplyme's promotion hopes were dented by a Scott Miller goal as Chard United nicked a 1-0 win at Venlake.

Tuesday
MATT Pile scored twice as Charmouth ended Thorncombe's Division Two promotion hopes with a 2-2 draw at Barrs Lane.

Wednesday
UPLYME ended a six-year stay in division two as Ryan Prendeville, John Davies and an own goal earned a 3-2 win at Dowlish & Donyatt.

Pymore could still snatch a promotion slot too. Adam Cody-Boutcher (2) and Brandon Scadding scored the goals in a 3-2 win over rivals Chard United.

Waytown Hounds extended their unbeaten home run to six games with a 5-1 hammering of Crewkerne Rangers. John Legg (2), Matt Read, Steve Battrick and Ian Barnett scored the goals.

Up in division one goals from Robin Jones and Josh Singleton saved Beaminster Reserves from relegation as they drew 2-2 with Crewkerne Town Reserves who are heading down into division two.

Lyme Bantams' fine end of season run in division three continued with a 5-1 win over Hawkchurch United at the Davey Fort. Pete Peacock moved up to 33 goals for the season with his third hat-trick of the campaign and there were singles for skipper Darren Poole and Robbie Prior.

Meanwhile, Uplyme Reserves' recent resurgence ended with a 4-0 home defeat at the hands of Forton Reserves

Thursday
HISTORY was made at the Davey Fort on Thursday evening as Winsham United clinched their first ever Perry Street Premier division title.

Opponents and reigning champions Lyme Regis' hopes winning back-to-back titles for the first time were effectively ended just after half-time when Joe Simmons cut through the heart of the dozing Seasiders ranks and calmly past Will Meech.

Earlier Lyme had bossed the first-half. Tim Edwards fired narrowly over the bar while Ben Whittington managed to hit the underside of it from just two yards out. Then Adam Caddy, employed as centre-forward hooked an acrobatic volley from the edge of the box that beat Winsh 'keeper Chris Scott but, once again, smashed against the crossbar.

After Simmons' goal the sting went out of the game and Winsham had few alarms. The lead was doubled, and the title secured, by Gary Warren who surged in to the area before firing home low across Meech.

The Seasiders did pull one back when substitute Danny Thirlwell headed a free-kick back across the six-yard box to defender Dave Matthews who nodded home from inches out.

But there was no time for sabre-rattling and the two goals Lyme still needed to force the title race into another week.

At the final whistle the still unbeaten Winsham players and officials celebrated completing an impressive treble for the club having previously landed the Chard Hospital and Challenge cup's.

Saturday, May 4th
Arthur Gage Cup Final
Misterton 1 W & M Chinnock 2
A LATE winner from Luke Williams added to an earlier strike from Ash Lock secured West & Middle Chinnock their first ever Arthur Gage Cup triumph.

Daisy Hutchings Cup SF
Lyme Regis Bantams 1 Combe A 2
WARREN Gabbidon's 48th goal of the season saw Combe A edge past a plucky Lyme Bantams and book a Daisy Hutchings cup final appearance on Friday evening at Perry Street.

After a largely chanceless first 45 that was ruined by a gusting wind going down the Davey Fort Pitch, The Seasiders took a surprise lead in the 56th minute. Defender Adam Clarke launched a free-kick from all of 35 yards that held up in the wind and dropped over the head of the bewildered Saints 'keeper Nathan Fisher.

Lyme went close to adding a crucial second just four minute later when striker Simon Flux hooked over a cross that Darren Poole smacked against the foot of the post.

This proved to be the turning point as Combe leveled in the 71st minute. Gabbidon was hauled down by his marker Chris Simpson.

Lyme felt the inital offence took place outside the area but referee Andy Dyke pointed to the spot and Ross Bicknell coolly sent Jedd Whittington the wrong way from the resulting penalty.

The winner came 10 minutes later when Whittington's attempt to shepherd the ball out for a goal-kick failed and Gabbidon nipped in the tuck the ball away from close range.

There was late drama when Fisher appeared to catch the ball well out his area but referee Dyke waved away the Lyme appeals and Combe saw out the remaining minutes.

Drimpton 5 Thorncombe 2
COMBE'S opponents in the final will be Drimpton, destined for a 3rd place finish in division three, who surprising overturned Thorncombe who finished fourth in division two.

Chris Rowswell (2), Phil Denslow, Ben Dickinson and Mark Pearce scored for the Greens with Le Fisher (2) replying.

Premier
Millwey Rise 1 Beaminster 4
GOALS from Dave Penn (2), Murray Legg and Alex Stevenson scored the goals that keep Beaminster in the running for a second successive league runners-up spot.
Sam Dibling scored the Rise consolation.

Perry Street 2 South Petherton 0
A 2-0 DEFEAT at Tatworth has left South Petherton staring relegation in the face.

Liam Rise and Matt Vinall scored for the hosts.

Shepton Beau 0 Ilminster Res 2
A LONG range shot from Taylor Jefferson, a la David Beckham against Wimbledon in 1996, helped Ilminster Reserves to a crucial win which could prove critical in their efforts to beat the drop.

Mike Towill scored the Blues' other goal.

Division One
Barrington 7 Beaminster Res 0
BEAMINSTER Reserves had a day to forget as they were thrashed up at Shelway lane.

Division Two
Ilminster Colts 0 Pymore 10
TIM Hussey was the star of the show as Pymore hit double figures for the second time this season.

Hussey hit a double hat-trick with the other goals coming from Adam Cody-Boutcher (2), Lee Dowle and Dean Obstancias.

Division Two
Waytown Hounds 3 Dowlish 1
WAYTOWN Hounds finished the season unbeaten at home in the league with this latest win.

Jon Legg put the hosts in front after 20 minutes when his shot rolled in at the far post, after a defensive error.

The Hounds were soon 2-0 up when Ethan Guppy hit a thunderbolt from 20 yards that went in off the underside of the bar.

Dowlish scored early in the second-half through Luke Mann to make it 2-1 but Waytown were always in control and Matt Read secured the win with a shot that went in off the post.

Ethan Guppy put in a good shift in the centre of midfield.

Waytown manger Mark Hughes said: "We have had a great season at home, but with only one win away from home that's something we need to sort next season."

Division Four
Uplyme Res 6 Chard Rang Res 1
STUART King (2), Jamie Prosser, Richie Robinson, Ian Green and an OG earned Uplyme Reserves a comprehensive end of season victory.

OTHER RESULTS
Division Three
Chard Utd Res 4 Hawkchurch 0
Millwey Rise Res 9 (L.Hoole 6, M.Pike 2, S.Flint) Hinton 0

Monday, May 6th
Coronation cup Final
Crewkerne Town 4 Lyme Regis 3
(at Millwey Rise)
AFTER three back-to-back wins in the competition Lyme Regis seemingly vice-like grip on the Coronation cup was prized open by Crewkerne Town in Monday mornings final at Millwey Rise.

■ **GOAL:** Ryan Prendeville (left, blue shirt) wheels away after scoring the crucial thrid goal in Uplyme's 4-1 Jack Venn Cup final win over Thorncombe. *Photo by AMY BULLER*

Lyme had the better of the opening exchanges and stormed into a 2-0 lead inside the opening 22 minutes.

Both goals were crackers scored from teenager Will Mowbray, the first an angled drive that struck the stanchion.

Another of the Seasiders' youngsters squandered a great chance to make it 3-0 soon after.

Crewkerne responded. They pulled a goal back through a crisp left-footed effort from Harry Charles and were level with the last action of the half when Jamie Manley headed home.

The Seasiders regained the lead in the 78th minute when Matt Laing rose well the head home and make it 3-2.

But the game was turned on it's head with two goals in four minutes. First the leveler when Ed Butcher charged down a Will Meech clearance and tapped in the rebound and Jack Flatt bagged the winner in the 88th minute.

Jack Venn Cup Final
Thorncombe 1 Uplyme 4
(at Combe St Nicholas)
FOUR first-half goals, all from set-pieces, saw Uplyme secure their first ever Jack Venn Cup triumph with a 4-1 win over Thorncombe in the sunshine at Slades Cross on Monday afternoon.

But it was the Thorns who grabbed the early advantage when Macca Whitely opened the scoring in the eighth minute.

Undeterred Uplyme were level six minutes later when a Tom Chapple corner found it's way to centre-back Mark Taylor who smashed the ball home.

The Swallows took the lead for the first time in the 19th minute when another Chapple corner was headed home at the far post by James Beddows.

The lead was extended to 3-1 three minutes later when a Jake Bearpark free-kick was glanced in by Ryan Prendeville.

The three-goal cushion arrived in the 39th minute when Beddows converted yet another Chapple corner kick.

The second-half was largely pedestrian with neither side really threatening the scoreboard and Thorncombe failing to mount the anticipated fightback.

Tuesday, May 7th (all 6.15)
Premier
Perry Street v Millwey Rise
Winsham Utd v Ilminster Res
Division One
Lyme Regis Res v Netherbury
Division Three
Combe A v Lyme Regis Bantams
Millwey Rise Res v Misterton Res
Division Four
Forton Rangers Res v Combe B

FIXTURES
(All midweek games 6.15pm ko)
Tonight (Wednesday)
Premier
Lyme Regis v Farway Utd
Division One
Forton v Rangers S.Petherton Res
Perry St Res v W & M Chinnock
Division Two
Pymore v Uplyme

Thursday, May 9th
Premier
Millwey Rise Winsham United
Division One
Lyme Regis Reserves Misterton

Mavis Tate cup Semi-Final
Perry Street League XI v Weston-super-Mare XI (at Chard Town FC)
PSDL squad: *J.Manley, J.Spurdle, E.Butcher, D.Baker (all Crewkerne Town), C.Lazenby, I.Masters, T.Jefferson (all Ilminster Town Reserves), M.Bailey, W.Meech (Both Lyme Regis), S.Dibling (MIllwey Rise), K.Hastings (Shepton Beauchamp), D.Rendall, M.Tierney (both South Petherton), Matt Brown, Joe Simmons, G.Warren (all Winsham United) - Manager: K.Diment..*

Friday, May 10th
Daisy Hutchings Cup Final
Drimpton v Combe A
(at Perry Street)
Premier
Ilminster Town Res v Millwey Rise
Saturday, May 11th
(all 2.30pm ko unless stated)
Premier
Farway Utd v S.Petherton (2pm)
Lyme Regis v Perry Street
Winsham Utd v Beaminster
Division One
Netherbury v Forton Rangers
Division Two
Uplyme v Pymore
Division Three
Ilminster A v Lyme Regis Bantams
Division Four
Farway Res v Shepton Res (4.15)
Thorn Res v Crewk Rangers Res

Monday, May 13th
Bill Bailey Cup Final
Combe A v Millwey Rise Reserves
(at Perry Street, 6.15)

Thursday, May 16th
John Fowler Cup Final
Ilminster A v Millwey Rise Res
(At Bridport FC, 6.15)

AS THEY STAND

PREMIER	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Winsham United (C)	16	11	5	0	27	38
Crewkerne Town	20	11	3	6	17	36
Lyme Regis	17	10	4	3	18	34
Combe Reserves	20	9	4	7	8	31
Beaminster	18	9	4	5	7	31
Millwey Rise	16	7	2	7	5	23
Perry Street	17	6	4	7	1	19*
Shepton Beauchamp	18	4	6	8	-15	18
South Petherton	17	5	2	10	-13	17
Ilminster Town Res	16	2	7	7	-10	13
Farway Utd (R)	17	0	3	14	-45	3

DIV 1	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
W & M Chinnock (P)	17	14	1	2	28	43
Misterton	17	12	4	1	32	40
Netherbury	16	11	2	3	28	35
Barrington	17	11	2	4	28	35
Forton Rangers	16	7	1	8	2	22
Lyme Regis Reserves	16	4	6	6	-6	18
Perry Street Reserves	17	4	4	9	-16	16
Beaminster Reserves	16	3	3	10	-15	11*
Crewkerne Res (R)	17	2	4	11	-21	10
S.Petherton Res (R)	17	1	1	15	-60	1*

DIV 2	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Chard United	17	11	3	3	20	33*
Uplyme (P)	15	9	4	2	28	31
Thorncombe	17	9	3	5	12	30
Dowlish & Donyatt	16	9	1	6	8	28
Pymore	14	7	4	3	24	25
Crewkerne Rangers	17	7	1	9	-6	22
Waytown Hounds	16	6	4	6	-11	22
Charmouth	17	6	2	9	-14	20
Ilminster Colts (R)	17	4	2	11	-20	14
Chard Rangers (R)	18	2	0	16	-41	6

DIV 3	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Luso-Chard (P)	20	16	2	2	42	47*
Combe A (P)	18	14	1	3	42	43
Drimpton	19	13	3	3	33	42
Winsham United Res	20	13	2	5	24	41
Ilminster Town A	19	7	2	10	1	23
Hawkchurch United	18	7	1	10	-15	22
Lyme Regis Bantams	17	6	4	7	-12	1*
Millwey Rise Res	17	6	2	9	12	20
Hinton St George	19	4	2	13	-44	14
Chard United Res	18	3	3	12	-26	13*
Misterton Res (R)	19	1	2	16	-68	5

DIV 4	P	W	D	L	GD	Pts
Shepton Beau Res (C)	15	14	1	0	40	40*
Barrington Res (P)	18	9	4	5	14	31
Thorncombe Res	17	9	3	5	21	27*
Kingsbury Episcopi	18	7	3	8	6	24
Crewkerne Rang Res	16	7	3	6	6	24
Combe B	17	6	6	5	0	24
Forton Rangers Res	16	6	3	7	-3	21
Farway United Res	15	4	3	8	-19	15
Uplyme Reserves	16	3	3	10	-32	12
Chard Rangers Res	16	1	3	12	-33	6

** = Points ded - P/R assumes 2up, 2 down*

Top scorers

***Premier**: S.Dibling (Millwey Rise) 35, E.Butcher (Crewkerne Town) 31, Joe Simmons (Winsham Utd) 30.*

***Division One**: T.Franklin (Netherbury) 22, T.Perry (Barrington) 21, R.Smith (Misterton) 19.*

***Division Two**: T.Hussey (Pymore) 32, L.Fisher (Thorncombe) 24, A.Cody-Boutcher (Pymore) 22, G.Fowler (Uplyme) 20.*

***Division Three**: W.Gabbidon (Combe A) 48, P.Peacock (Lyme Regis Bantams) 30, B.Garrett (Winsham Utd Res) 27.*

INSIDE EDGE - The Dorset cricket scene

WITH STUART BROOM

Pitch problem dents Dorchester's championship hopes

THE new cricket season got off to a sensational start with Dorchester having to cancel their game at the Rec against reigning champions Wimborne & Colehill because the ground was not ready!

The club hires the ground from Dorchester Town Council who are responsible for preparing the wicket and the pitch.

However, it was found at the end of last week that the wicket was not in a playable state and the club had to call the game off.

It is understood the club have received "verbal assurances" that they will not be punished as a result, but it is unclear wether the game will be replayed or conceded without penalty to the county town.

Dorset Funeral Plan League Premier League

DORCHESTER (SCRATCHED) LOST TO WIMBORNE & COLEHILL

***UNABLE TO SUPPLY A GRASS WICKET**

WEYMOUTH 101ALL OUT LOST TO POOLE TOWN 253 ALL OUT BY 152 RUNS

WEYMOUTH got off to a great start with captain Matt Lawes and Dave Trotter tying down the openers. With Trotter getting a wicket with his third ball, Poole Town were struggling at 3-1 after six overs.

However, opener Brewster Surridge (43) and Ciaran Quinn soon got on top and at 147-1 it looked like the visitors would get a hefty score, but after Quinn was dismissed for 103, Weymouth with Lawes (5-37) leading the way with a "fivefor" did well to bowl Poole out for 253.

Only Damith Gunawardana (39) showed any real resistance to Lawes, Dean Janaway (2-51) and Paul Payne (2-32), with Jim Rysall taking three catches and a stumping.

However in reply Weymouth could only muster 101 all out with Tom England (39) and Lawes (23) getting any significant runs.

Lawes said: "If we had got a couple more wickets early on when we had them under pressure it might have been different, but in the end we did well to restrict them to 253 after being 147-1.

"We struggled a bit with our batting and looked a bit rusty, and we need to improve that, but we have five players unavailable until the end of May, so we might find it difficult until then."

Division One

MARTINSTOWN 331ALL OUT BEAT BROADSTONE 2NDS 227-8 BY 104 RUNS

DANNY Way and Danny Dancer were the stars of Martinstown's first ever game in Division One following promotion last season.

Way hit 116 including 10 fours and 6 sixes, as the hosts amassed an amazing 331 all out, and shared a seventh wicket partnership of 198 with skipper Dancer who fell five short of a century.

After losing Ed Nicholls for just four, new signing David Herbert (39) and Lee House (37) batted positively and at a good rate in adding 68 for the second wicket, before a collapse saw Martinstown lose five wickets for 16 runs to leave them struggling on 96-6.

Way and Dancer, who hit 10 fours, then went on the rampage, with the last wicket falling off the last ball of the innings.

Broadstone made a good start in reply with Sean Hatton (39) and Lee Hanratty (65) putting on 114 for the first wicket before Dancer (4-37) made the breakthrough.

After that they began losing wickets at regular intervals with only I Griffiths (46 not out) showing any real resistance. Matt Rimmer (3-36) weighed in as the visitors struggled to 227-8 in their allotted overs.

Dancer said: "This was a really good win with a few guys still away at uni and some still playing football.

"It looked as though we could be all out pretty cheaply after a good start, which was disappointing, but Danny and I played positively and went at a good rate. To score 331 was a great effort.

"We bowled pretty well too. With one of their openers scoring freely and getting up with the rate, I thought we had to take pace off the ball and I brought on Danny Way. He gave the control we required showing he can bowl at this level.

"Matt Rimmer bowled a great spell taking three wickets on his return after all of last season out with injury."

Division Two

CHRISTCHURCH 119-1 BEAT BEAMINSTER 116 ALL OUT BY 9 WICKETS

WILL Everitt faced the usual problem on finding players for the opening fixture of the season and travelled to East Dorset with a side that included his father and his friend among those press ganged into service.

With only ten players , Simon Jones suffering from flu and Everitt himself still feeling the effects of a broken ankle sustained in January playing rugby, Beaminster were no match for their hosts.

Batting first Richie Runyard (22) and Ross Baker (31) got Beaminster off to a great start with an opening stand of 64, but the introduction of two spinners J Adams (3-33) and N Marsh (5-30) at the first bowling change brought their downfall.

They both made use of the very green wicket and only Jack Walklett (31) offered any resistance as Beaminster were dismissed for 116 all out.

G Williams (40 not out) and Adams (76) made short work of their response putting on 104 for the first wicket before Adrian Everitt caught Adams off Jones (1-17).

Will Everitt said: "I was determined we shouldn't scratch and I am very grateful to everyone for making the effort in what is traditionally a problem week with the football season still not finished and being a Bank Holiday. Their support and determination was more than I could ask for.

"The standout performance has to be Jack Walklett who eventually ran out of partners despite the resilience of Mark Barber, Adrian Everitt and Ben Ward at the end.

"Jack has bulked up since last season and is now a strong batsman and turning into an excellent all-rounder."

Division Three

STALBRIDGE 2NDS 141ALL OUT LOST TO CATTISTOCK 142-5 BY 5 WICKETS

CATTISTOCK started the season with a win at Stalbridge where they have not won for many a season.

Winning the toss they put the hosts in and dismissed them for 141 all out. Lee Anderson (5-17) was the toast of the bowlers including a hat-trick.

Simon Miles (41) and Colin Moore (42) were the main stays for Stalbridge who were looking at a reasonable total on 139-5 before losing four wickets on that total including Anderson's triple strike.

Bradley Damen (2-38 from twelve), Martin Langford (2-39) and Jon Legg (1-28 from eight) were the other wicket takers.

Legg then opened the reply for Cattistock and top scored with 66. He and Billy Walbridge added 81 for the third wicket and with the help of 41 extras including 20 wides, they breezed past the target with more than ten overs to spare.

PORTLAND RT 154ALL OUT BEAT DORCHESTER 2NDS 54 ALL OUT BY 100 RUNS

PORTLAND RT beat a strong Dorchester 2nds outfit by 100 runs.

A fairly lacklustre batting performance saw Triangle post 154 all out,with Matt Randell top scoring with a useful 54.

In reply Dorchester slumped to 10-4 thanks to a superb opening spell by Randell and Simon Proffitt who eventually claimed a "fivefor" whilst Scott Males (3-3)wrapped things up.

BROADSTONE 3RDS 213-7 BEAT WEYMOUTH 2NDS 209-9 BY 4 RUNS

Division Four

BRIDPORT 99-3 BEAT WEYMOUTH LONGSHOTS 96 ALL OUT BY 7 WICKETS

BRIDPORT put on an impressive performance in beating Weymouth Longshots by seven wickets.

The visitors took their league by storm last season but were soon in trouble at 13-3 as Dom Gape with 5-5 from 8.3 overs and skipper Liam Toohill 2-21 ripped into the top order.

Wickets continued to tumble at regular intervals and at 52-5 the writing was on the wall, but a stand of 39 between N Hardisty (19) and M West (20) helped them reach 96 all out.

Old heads Mark Smith (33) and Rod Gay ensured no slip ups as they added 63 for the first wicket, and although Bridport lost two cheap wickets after Smith's dismissal, Toohill (15 not out) joined Gay (39 not out) to ease them to a comfortable win.

Toohill said: "Longshots came with a good reputation, so it was nice to beat them comprehensively and get 19 points which gives us a head start over last season.

"Dom Gape bowled very well, although he won't be able to play regularly for a few weeks yet, and both Ollie Lee and Shane Parker showed they will be useful bowlers this season.

"The experience of Mark Smith and Rod Gay to open the innings gave us a solid start and with 19 points from the game we are not having to catch up like we did last season."

Division Five North & West

CREWKERNE 90-1 BEAT MARTINSTOWN 2ND 88 ALL OUT BY 9 WICKETS

CREWKERNE comfortably won their first fixture at their new home at Henhayes against Martinstown 2nd's.

Inviting the visitors to bat first, Darren Rowswell (1-5) dismissed Grosswell and with Darren Parsons (2-27) removing Croswhaite and Bracey, Martinstown were soon 18-3.

Andrews (17) and Whalley (20) tried to rescue the situation, but Mark Culpitt (3-33) and Robbie James (4-23) ripped through the bottom order leaving Moss (19 not out) stranded at the end.

Tom Briggs and Phil Palfrey started well in reply reaching 41 before the former was bowled for a fluent 32 by Croswhaite.

Jon Gould (26 not out) joined Palfrey (24 not out) to see Crewkerne home.

DORCHESTER 3RDS 70 ALL OUT LOST TO ABBOTSBURY 71-0 BY 10 WICKETS

DORCHESTER 3rd's suffered a ten wicket defeat at the hands of Apbbotsbury who dismissed them for 70 all out.

Division Six

BEAMINSTER 2NDS 170 ALL OUT LOST TO PUDDLETOWN 223 ALL OUT BY 53 RUNS

TEN-MAN Beaminster 2nd's put up a brave fight at home to Puddletown who had to thank Lucas Allen for a swashbuckling century for their victory.

Allen scored 130 of his sides total which included 20 fours and three sixes; the next highest score being 17 not out from B Knight.

Ade Phillips was the main wicket taker with 4-56 from 12 overs, well supported by Paul Martin 3-50.

Beaminster lost Dave Penman for a single early on, but with the help of the top of the order all getting into double figures, it was Phillips with a fine half-century that edged then near their target.

But, with six of their seven bowlers all getting wickets, he couldn't quite make it.

POOLE TOWN 4THS 150 ALL OUT LOST TO CHARLTON DOWN 151-4 BY 6 WICKETS

CHARLTON Down's historic first ever Saturday league fixture ended with a six wicket victory with 14 overs to spare. Men of the match were 16-year-old Luke Voss and Sam Roles (17).

Poole won the toss and surprisingly elected to bat on what was an under prepared wicket and were soon in trouble at 16-3; Jae Miller trapping both Pilley and Murray leg before and Matt Stevens bowling Allman. Javed Gill the removed Hellawell (18) with the score on 40-4.

A hard-hitting fifth wicket partnership was gaining pace before Sadler (31) tried one boundary too many with the score on 97 and was brilliantly caught by Cameron Lucas on the deep mid wicket boundary off Sam Roles (3-33).

Captain Andy Milner steadied the ship with the impressive 12-year-old Steve Currie (33) before Lucas snared the latter.

Roles claimed two further quick wickets before the impressive Matt Stevens (2-14 off) returned with James Pretty to clean up the tail.

With vice captain Jae Miller unable to bat having been knocked unconscious attempting a diving catch, Sam Roles and Cameron Lucas (9) opened the batting and put on 33 for the first wicket.

Luke Voss (63no) and Sam Roles (38) then added 56 for the second wicket both cover driving to the boundary. Scotty Parker then helped Voss, who elegantly drove and pulled the ball to all parts of the Whitecliffe ground in his 2½ hour stay, add 36 before Javed Gill helped see Charlton Down to victory.

Captain Tommy Tucker said: "It's always nice to get a first win and it was brilliant to see the young players step up and show their talents.

Not only did Sam Roles and Luke Voss produce mature batting displays but an outstanding catch from Cameron Lucas was a match changing event, with Sadler in full flow with the bat.

Matt Stevens showed his bowling class opening and closing down the innings with the help of Louis Parkin and James Pretty; all bowling with such control."

CHALKE VALLEY 180-9 BEAT CREWKERNE 2NDS 51 ALL OUT BY 129 RUNS

CREWKERNE 2nd's were no match for Salisbury side Chalke Valley who dismissed the Somerset side for just 51 to earn victory by 129 runs.

Sunday Division Two

PORTLAND RT 280 ALLOUT BEAT IWERNE & FONTMELL 87 ALL OUT BY 193 RUNS

SKIPPER Gareth Price (101) scored a century in his sides emphatic win over Iwerne and Fontmell.

The visitors were bowled out for 87 with Gus Galloway and Christian Brown claiming three wickets apiece, and Scott Males and Simon Proffitt both taking a wicket.

Sunday Division Three

SYMENE 193-7 LOST TO WITCHAMPTON 197-5 BY 5 WICKETS

SYMENE could have won their opening match, but some poor bowling and a vital dropped catch proved decisive.

Colin Lloyd (42) and Phil Hawkins with a solid 69 at the top of the order and 22 from Callum Pattison set Witchampton a good target.

Symene made an early breakthrough with the dismissal of Bartram for a duck, but unfortunately fellow opener Easthope was dropped before he had scored.

He went on to hit 91 and together with Evans (57) added 164 for the second wicket before Colin Willcox (3-39) bowled both, but by then it was too late.

Sunday Division Four

OLD BOURNEMOUTHIANS 235 ALL OUT BEAT PORTLAND RT 2NDS 114 ALL OUT BY 121 RUNS

PORTLAND slumped to a 121 run defeat away to Old Bournemouthians who were bowled out for 235 from their 40 overs.

Veteran all-rounder Simon Barrett (3-32) was the pick of the bowlers backed up by fellow spinners Matt Barrett (2-52) and Richard Stewkesbury (2-42).

Triangle were initially up with the run rate as Dave Males (26) set the pace, but the early losses of Dave Blackman, Simon Barrett and Tony Quayle; to a farcical run-out; left Triangle in trouble. A brave stand by Chris Skinner (32) steered them to two vital bowling points before he holed out in the 39th over.

Readers Mid-Wessex League Division One

BROADWINDSOR 319 ALL OUT BEAT COMPTON DUNDON 115 ALL OUT BY 204 RUNS

THE visitors promoted from Division Two last season were no match for Broadwindsor.

A man short and arriving late, the hosts smote them all around the ground with Chris Park with 109 and Steve Phillips (72) putting on over 150 for the first wicket.

Jack Walklett (38) joined in the run spree as Broadwindsor clocked up an unassailable total.

A superb piece of bowling from Ryan Sweatman (3-9) made sure the visitors had no chance of getting near the total and he was ably assisted by Joe Hawkins with three wickets and Murray Legg who bagged a brace.

Devon League

Good and bad in derby clashes

UPLYME & LYME REGIS 1ST XI 114 ALL OUT LOST TO SEATON 1ST XI 115-2 BY EIGHT WICKETS.

THE much-anticipated local derbies against seaside neighbours Seaton brought mixed results for Uplyme & Lyme Regis Cricket Club.

The first XI were inserted by host skipper Ben Morgan on their opening away day fixture against Seaton 1st XI at Court Lane.

Uplyme lost opener Rob Thom who was cleaned-up by Phil Collins.

This brought new-signing Alex Taylor to the crease. But the Aussie all-rounder lasted just one ball on his debut as he too was bowled by Collins.

When opener Eddie Clarke was bowled by Joe Berry for a gritty 17 Uplyme were wobbling on 50-5.

James Dunford and Rod Holmes added 22 for the sixth wicket and there was a useful top-score from number eight Mark Brimicombe.

But Uplyme were dismissed in 42.1 over for just 114 with Collins (3-16) and Mike Wheeler (3-19) returning the best figures.

Seaton openers Steve Pritchard and Ed Hunt put on 37 for the first wicket before Hunt and number three Chris Aplin were dismissed in quick succcession by Neil Price (2-15).

But any chink of light Uplyme may have glimpsed at 43-2 was soon extinguised as Morgan came to the crease and clipped a quick-fire unbeaten 57 to see his side home.

UPLYME & LYME REGIS 2ND XI 261-4 BEAT SEATON 2NDS 260-7 BY SIX WICKETS.

THERE was much better news from the corresponding 2nd XI game at the King George Vth playing field.

Batting first Seaton compiled a challenging 260-7 with skipper Ian Hunt top-scoring with 69 before being caught by Alfie Bellworthy to give 12-year-old off-spinner Daley Holmes his debut wicket for the senior team.

The hosts reply was centreed around opener Henry Perry who scored a magnificent debut century for the club in scoring an unbeaten 114.

Tim Daniel (66) and Marcel Grunschloss (40) both gave useful support as Uplyme eased to their target in 41.2 overs to give new skipper Wallace Blackmore the perfect start to his time at the helm.

◆ *DALEY Holmes scored 81 as the West (160 all out) beat the North (84 all out) in a County district match on Sunday.*

Bridport & District Darts League

Division One	Pld	Pts
Robs Robbers	22	39
BSC	22	38
All Stars	22	31
Hands of Time	22	30
Nomads	22	28
Knapp Inn	22	23
Nags A	22	16
New Order	22	16
Young Guns	22	16
Bullyboys	22	12
Elders	22	9
One for the Road	22	6

Stat leaders: Player wins 19 or more: Graham Knight (Nomads) 90.48%. Highest finish: Steve Mudford (Nomads) & Ryan Cross (Young Guns) both 160. Most 180s: Matt Brotherton, Terry Prowse (both Robs Robbers) and Graham Knight all 7.

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Odd Bods	20	30
Dat Team	20	30
The Family	20	27
Vikings	20	27
The Surgeons	20	25
Bobs Boys	20	22
Young Darters	20	14
Royal Hawks	20	13
Rubber Johns	20	12
Midnight Runners	20	10
Weigh Anchors	20	10

Stat leaders: Player wins 19 or more: Richard Carter (The Family) 95%. Highest finish: Bill Dedman (Weigh Anchors) 134. Most 180s: M.Record (Bob's Boys) 3.

Division Three	Pld	Pts
Broken Arrows	22	33
Poachers	22	32
The Capercaillies	22	31
Only Just	22	28
Anchor Five	22	26
Red Devils	22	26
Mozzies Heroes	22	23
Cavaliers	22	15
Time Bombs	22	14
Dodgers	22	14
Whamo	22	13
Tiger Bees	22	9

Stat leaders: Player wins 19 or more: Andy Page (Capercaillies) 95%. Highest finish: Howard Sellick (Red Devils) 138. Most 180s: George Lessey (Poachers), Alastair Couts (Poachers) both 2.

Division Four	Pld	Pts
Inbetweeners	22	39
Odds & Sods	22	33
Tip Top Odds	22	33
All the King's Men	22	30
Just One More	22	22
Sorted Odds	21	21
Royal Soaks	22	19
Knockers and Nuts	22	16
Oakey Cokey	21	16
The Dogs Danglies	22	15
Nats Nelson Bitches	22	12
Mix and Match	22	6

Stat leaders: Player wins 19 or more: Lily Essex (All the Kings Men) 95.45%. Highest finish: Paul Norman (Sorted Odds) 119. Most 180s: Fran Potter (Sorted Odds), Nick Pomeroy (Just One More) both 1.

LADIES LEAGUE

Division One	Pld	Pts
Tender Trap	18	33
San Souci	18	29
Anchor Aces	18	22
Knight n Gals	18	20
Queenies Club	18	18
Queen Bees	18	16
Sue's Rebels	18	15
Kings Arrows	18	14
Against the Odds	18	11
Odds & Evens	18	2

Stat leaders: Player wins 16 or more: Sarah Chick (Tender Trap) 94.44%. Highest finish: Wendy Scholler (Queenies of the Club) 120. Most 180s: Wendy Scholler 2.

Division Two	Pld	Pts
Castaways	16	26
Next Door	16	21
Cliff Hangers	16	20
Good Mates	16	19
Wildcats	16	18
Hopeless	16	16
Charlies Angels	16	11
Anchors Aweigh	15	8
Tiger Stripes	15	3

Stat leaders: Player wins: 16 or more: Tracy Wayland (Hopeless) 100%. Highest finish: C.Burwood (Wildcats) 90. Most 180s: None.

BEES NEWS

WITH STUART BROOM

Fraggle steals the show

STRIKER Ryan Dovell almost made a clean sweep of the 1st team awards at Bridport Football Club's very successful Annual Presentation Evening held last Saturday at the Beehive.

"Fraggle" as he is nicknamed, was voted the Home Player of the Year as well as the Player's Player of the Year and also picked awards as the Top Goal Scorer with 19 goals, as well as for scoring a hat trick in the 4-2 home win over Radstock Town.

Captain Ryan Hayer won the 1st team Away Player of the Year award.

Reserve captain Ashley Clarke won their Home Player of the Year, with Michael Hailu considered the Away Player of the Year.

Up and coming Luke King was voted the Player's Player of the Year.

Jack Scovell won the Top Goal Scorer and Gary Bulman was rewarded for his hat-trick in the 7-0 home victory over Merley Sports.

Chris "Scholsey" Symes won the 3rd's Player's Player of the Year award as well as the Top Goal Scorer, whilst Ashley Walkey was voted Home Player of the Year and Ali Kamara the Away Player of the Year.

Eddie Stiff was rewarded for his support for the club with the Clubman of the Year, whilst Max Buckler was named Young Player and Jamie Filkins the Sponsor's (Huck Nets) Player of the Year.

The Sports Personality award went to Jon Smith for his work on the club's website.

Before the awards, over 80 people sat down to a cold buffet meal.

■ **TOUGH:** Reigning Wiscombe champion Craig Moore three wheels his Ford Cortina through The Esses as he chases down the opposition in last weekend's opening meeting of the season. The Lyme Regis driver id attempting to become the first driver the win the series for a third time.

Pool league season nearing its conclusion

BEAMINSTER & Bridport District Pool League's season draws to a conclusion with the final's night due to take place at the end of May, followed by their presentation night and AGM.

Diary dates:

Finals Night – Knapp Inn Sunday, May 26th 7pm

Doubles Knockout Cup Final (best of 7 frames): Bill Studley & Ben Frampton v Colin Barnes & Richard Legg (7.30pm prompt start).

Shield Final: Pocket Rockets v Pocket Full of Balls (to follow the doubles final at approx 8pm).

Presentation Night – Knapp Inn Sunday, June 2nd 7pm

Singles Knockout Cup Final best of 7 frames): Ben Frampton v Kevin Wheeler (7.30pm prompt start).

Team Knockout Cup Final: Rack'n' Roll v Nelson's Flagship (to follow the singles final at approx 8pm).

The presentation of trophies will follow immediately after these finals

Annual General Meeting – Red Lion Hotel, Beaminster Sunday June 9th 7pm for 7.30pm prompt start

If anyone has any points to raise please let Kim Edwardes know by Sunday, June 2nd at the latest.

Also, please let the committee know in advance if you know of any new teams that may wish to join the league (to include any changes to present teams).

It is hoped that every captain, or at least one team member, will be present to represent their teams; don't forget that every existing team has one vote on any proposals put forward at the meeting.

Of course, every player is entitled to attend and will be very welcome, as will any potential newcomers.

Charity match at Weymouth

WEYMOUTH Football Club veterans XI will roll back the years on Sunday when they take on a Celebrity XI at The Bob Lucas Stadium.

Funds from the day, which will also include a draw for shirts and footballs signed by Weymouth FC and Yeovil Town FC, will be split between The Wedmore Hospice in Dorchester and the Hammer out cancer Brain Tumour Ressearch campaign.

The match kicks-off at £3 - admission is £5.

Lyme Regis Golf Club news

WITH RICHARD JACKMAN

Dorset Ladies Shine and Collis is King

THE sun shone on the ladies of Dorset as they competed in near perfect conditions in the **DLCGA County Championship** at Lyme Regis last week.

Dave Everett and his team had prepared a wonderful course and Lyme ladies acquitted themselves very well - club captain Jenny Scott came 2nd in the Spring Silver Challenge.

Caroline Baker and Prue Russell both made it to the quarter-final stages of the Johnson Cup, both narrowly losing to the eventual finalists.

Sophie Keech, Melissa McMahon and Jane Southcombe all made it through to the knock out stages of the County Championship.

All played very well in their matches and Sophie made it through to the final but had to settle for second place on the day. Well done to the staff, helpers and players who made the week such a success.

In the mens' section Roger Seed and Adrian Morgan won the Andrew Black 4 Ball Better Ball with 43 points. Colin Baker and Andy Richardson 2nd - 41 points, David Lock and Will White 3rd on 39 points.

In the **May medal** in Division 1, Brian Collis had a scintillating round of net 66, a lead of 4 shots over Stuart Scott with 70 and Malcolm Wilson coming 3rd with 72.

Division 2 was an altogether tighter affair with the top 3 all finishing on net 70, countback deciding that David Binns took 1st place from Steve Thirlwell and Patrick Duke 3rd.

In the Junior order of merit Bradley Rowe's net 69 won from Lewis Cottam on 73 and Lai-To Li on 74.

Special mention of young Cameron Moss who played in the junior order of merit and then went out to play another 18 to help Lyme's Hardy B team notch up a narrow 3-2 win over Queen's Park

Final date changed

BRIDPORT Football Partnership, organiser's of the Edwards Charity Cup sponsored by ***View From Newspapers***, have had to amend the dates of the semi-finals and final due to fixture congestion with some of the side left in the competition.

Netherbury v holders Beaminster remains as Thursday, May 9th.

The tie between Lyme Regis and Bridport 3rds will now take place on Tuesday, May 14th, with the final on Thursday, May 23rd. All games take place at St Mary's Field with a 7.45pm kick-off.

BOWLS ROUND-UP

Bridport men open with county league win

BRIDPORT Bowling Club men's team travelled to Sherborne for their opening County League game of the season and triumphed 57-46 with Brian Rumble's rink winning 20-11 and Brian Conisbee's four ahead 24-18.

The club opened the new season with a mixed friendly against tourists Sele Farm, the visitors winning 94-82 with the best home rink being Sue Gentry, David Pattemore, Dinah Wilson and Alan Cowdrey who won 24-16.

Bridport A made the short journey to Lyme Regis where they beat the home side's B team 73-41, with Ken Sanger's foursome winning 26-7 and Clive Langdon's 29-11.

Bridport B went down 56-64 away at Dorchester B in the South Dorset League, but Derek Hoskins' rink secured two points with a 26-15 win.

Despite wins by Mel Griffith's four 20-14 and Bob Taylor's rink 18-14, Bridport C went down to Wellworthy B with a 10-31 loss on the third rink.

Bridport's men travelled to Crewkerne for a friendly on May Day and trounced their hosts 93-55 with Brian Rumble's four top scoring 40-6.

◆ BRIDPORT'S Summer Evening Indoor League got under way with Maureen Hicks, Clive Baynes and Martin Grier's Team H getting off to a sensational start against Team E.

With two early five counts they went 19-0 ahead after just nine ends, finally winning 20-4.

Gordon Lee, Phil Tattershall and Brian Morgan's Team B also got off to a flyer, three early four counts gave them a 19-3 lead before going on to a 24-9 win over Team L.

Mary Hansford, Pete Cowburn and Peter Hunt's Team C finished 4-3 to beat Team K 16-10, another strong finish from Bernard Waterman, Brian Legg and Mike Long's Team G gave them a 11.10 win over Team F.

Andy Marsh, Darren Simpson and Derek Harp's Team J secured a draw thanks to a four count on the final end against Viv and Roy Gill and Brian Baker's Team D.

LYME REGIS BC *with Paul Moffitt*

THE league season started off with mixed fortunes. The men's 'A' & 'B' teams both had a disaster against Melcombe Regis 'A' & Bridport 'A' respectively.

In contrast, the ladies took eight points off Poole Park playing away, which is a very encouraging start against strong opposition. The ladies have new look teams, with various changes in personnel from last year, so this result is particularly pleasing.

The Club held a very successful Open Day held on Saturday.

Around 40 members of the public came and had a go in what turned out to be a beautiful day. With many club members in attendance, this was a very heartening event.

There will be coaching sessions held at the Club on Tuesday 14th, 21st & 28th May at 6pm with Ann and Trevor Allman our resident coaches being in attendance.

West Dorset Men Div 2 - Lyme A 52; Melcombe Regis A 75: R McLennan, G Clode, R Legg, D Wood 19-27; M Knight, S Dowling, D Pomeroy, B Parsons 12-19; M Thorner, J Moseley, J Beadsley, G Cozens 21-29.

Lyme B 39; Bridport A 73: T Payne, A Nabarro, B Wright, R Cridge 11-29; D Read, K Gardiner, B Smith, N Solomon 7-26; R Turpin, B Downes, R Hobbs, A Weech 21-18.

Dorset Ladies Div 1 - Lyme 58; Poole Park 56: J Parsons, S Cox, L Broom, A Allman 26-13; H Dowling, M Bartlett, N Stephens, C Barber 20-13; J Moffitt, M Gillett, S Rowe, K Clissold 12-30.

Friendlies

Lyme 55 Severalls 52: J Moffitt, P Weech, J Beadsley, T Allman 27-9; T Payne, S Cox, A Weech, P Moffitt 12-24; B Smith, G Clode, R Edwards, A Allman 16-19.

Lyme 92 Yeovil 98. S Dowling, P Weech, A Allman, B Parsons 19-15; S Wood, P Stephens, J Moseley, K Clissold 21-18; C Clissold, H Dowling, J Parsons, T Allman 24-17; K Smith, N Solomon, D Wood, E Skeemer 10-27; A Nabarro, D Courtenay-Smith, A Weech, N Stephens 18-21

Lyme 89 Borough of Eye Tour 140: P Ward, A Brown, J Moselet, A Allman 18-18; T Payne, J Perry, J Beadsley, C Barber 17-16; J Brown, P Stephens, G Cozens, E Skeemer 15-26; C Clissold, D Courtenay-Smith, B Parsons, S Rowe 12-25; J Barnish, D Mayo, B Collier, R Edwards 13-30; S Applebee, V Cozens, J Parsons, T Allman 14-25.

Lyme Ladies 70; Axminster Ladies 28J Barnish, M Bartlett, A Allman 19-10; S Cox, D Courtenay-Smith, C Barber 35-8; S Wood, H Dowling, J Moffitt 16-10.

Bridport Skittles

CUP Fixtures for week beginning Monday May 13th:

Portman Handicap Final
Monday, May 13th
West Dorset Club: Alleycats (13/29) or AFAR. (15/31) v Wots Their Names or Bulldogs

Lock Hansford Cup Final
Monday, May 13th
Tiger: Wanderers or Shipfaced v The Dingles or Slingers

Mens Nomination Cup Final
Tuesday, May 14th
Bradpole Club: Wanderers v Survivors

Mixed Pairs Final (7.30pm start)
Wednesday, May 15th
Loders Arms : S Gale & N Broad; T & S Luter; M Hansford & M Horton; S Beal & J Cake; D & L Cowburn; A & J Huxter; J Symes & N Paulley; M & E Hooper.

Friday, May 17th Presentation Night @ Freshwater. Tickets on sale from the Lord Nelson priced at £4

Division A	Pld	Pts
Shipfaced	20	32
Wanderers	19	32
Smithys Boys	22	28
Slingers	22	24
Rockets	21	22
Broadoak	20	20
Nelson Nobblers	21	20
Rejects	21	20
Masters	21	18
Rough Eight	21	18
Lively Lads	22	8
Outsiders	20	8

Division B	Pld	Pts
Denhay Farm	19	36
The Dingles	19	23
NBC	20	20
Pinseekers	20	19
7" Clock	18	18
Miss the Ball	18	18
U know the Blokes	17	18
RIP	20	17
Gerryatrics	18	16
Dingbats	16	10
Groundhogs	19	9

Division C	Pld	Pts
Crazy Gang	20	26
Bangers	19	24
Mean Machine	19	24
Castouts	19	20
Strawpeedoes	19	20
Bulldogs	18	18
LHS	19	18
Originals	19	18
Swimming Club	20	16
Countrymen	18	12
Pioneers	18	12

Division D	Pld	Pts
Aussies Lot	18	28
Wots their Names	20	26
AFAR	19	24
Let em Roll	17	24
Whisky Chasers	20	22
Survivors	18	20
Unknowns	18	18
Alcoholics	20	16
Featherbeds	19	16
Offcuts	19	8
Robs Rebels	18	4

Highest individual score: R.Wyatt (Outsiders) 94.

LADIES LEAGUE

Division A	Pld	Pts
Alleycats	18	34
Yo Yo's	18	27
Brandy Snaps	18	26
Hidden Talent	18	26
Ginger-Gales	17	19
Bad Girls	18	12
Tiger Lilies	18	12
Pinbashers	16	8
No Problem	17	6
The Shitzues	16	4

Highest Individual score: G.Legg, M.Hansford both 81.

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INSIDE: Comprehensive local sport round-up

Uplyme heading for historic double triumph

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LYME Regis' grip on the Perry Street League Premier division championship trophy was ended on Thursday evening when they were beaten by the new champions Winsham United who clinched their first ever title.

There was double disappointment in the Lyme camp on Monday as the team's fantastic three-season winning run in the Coronation cup was ended by a 4-3 defeat against Crewkerne Town in the final at Millwey Rise. Karl Diment's team led through two early Will Mowbray goals and, after a Crewkerne fight back regained the lead through Matt Laing. But the Tigers showed some admirable battling qualities to score twice and wrestle the cup from The Seasiders' grasp.

The Seasiders entertain Farway United tonight (6.15pm ko) and Perry Street on Saturday (2.30).

The stand-out result in the other midweek games was Uplyme's 3-2 win at Dowlish & Donyatt on Wednesday. The score line means 'The Swallows' are assured of promotion back to division one.

And Uplyme completed a memorable week for the club as James Beddows (2), Mark Taylor and Ryan Prendeville scored the goals that beat Thorncombe 4-1 in Monday's Jack Venn Cup Final at Combe St Nicholas.

Uplyme can clinch the division two title as they travel to Pymore tonight with the return fixture scheduled for Saturday.

On the same night Pete Peacock bagged a hat-trick as Lyme Bantams thrashed Hawkchurch United 5-1.

But the Lyme third-string's hopes of reaching their first ever Daisy Hutchings cup final ended on Saturday when they were beaten 2-1 by Combe A at the Davey Fort.

The teams met in a league encounter at Slades Cross last night with the Bantams heading off to Ilminster A on Saturday.

After week off Lyme Regis Reserves were due to play two midweek games. Last night the team entertained Netherbury with Misterton due at the Fort on Thursday.

Elsewhere, after losing 4-0 against Forton reserves on Wednesday, Uplyme Reserves completed their season in style as they hammered Chard Rangers Reserves 6-1 at Venlake.

Lyme Regis duo Mark Bailey and Will Meech have been selected for the Perry Street League XI that take on Weston-super-Mare League XI at Chard Town FC on Thursday.

◆ LYME Regis under 10s are still very much in the running for the East Devon title. The young Seasiders beat Perry Street U9s 3-0 on Friday evening with Connor Tate (2) and Ethan Matthews on target and Spencer Vacher taking the MoM award.

On Sunday morning the team went goal-crazy with a 17-0 mauling of neighbours Axminster Town. Tate (4), Matthews (3), Vacher (3), Tyler Wheeler (3), Ollie Kapur, Ben Cullimore, Ethan Gibbs and Bayler Alner scored the goals.

Lyme under 13s came from 3-1 down to beat Longfleet 5-3 at the Davey Fort on Sunday. Finlay McLean (3) and Ollie Alner scored the goals.

Jack Venn Cup Winners

■ **CHAMPIONS:** Uplyme players and officials celebrate after Monday's 4-1 Jack Venn cup final victory over Thorncombe, *see report on page 53 inside*.
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